

# HUNS LAUNCH DESPERATE THRUST AGAINST YPRES

## Americans and British Face Great Concentration of Boche Troops

### HUGE FORCE IS PREPARED TO STRIKE AT AMIENS

Gallant French, British, and Sammies Ready to Block Drive of Germans

**HAZEBROUCK SALIENT ALSO IS REINFORCED**

Dispatch Indicates Mackensen Now Hun Commander In the Amiens Region

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 9.—One of the hugest concentrations of troops ever assembled on the battlefield lies today inside the great bulge in the line which sags down past Arras, Amiens and Montdidier.

North of this, in the salient pointing toward Hazebrouck, is a secondary concentration, but proportionately important, mile for mile.

These are ready to strike.

Facing them are the gallant French, the imperturbable English and the vanguard of eager Americans waiting for the show to begin.

Will Hindenburg hit again against the Flemish hills?

Will he make another smash toward Amiens?

Will he hit southward toward Compiègne?

Or, will he suddenly swerve to a different scene?

The future will settle these questions. But the bulk of his army now appears to be opposite the two theaters named.

Apparently there has been a shift in the German command. The indications are that Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria now commands only the fourth and sixth armies, down to near Arras. Mackensen is reported opposite the British right flank, seemingly sandwiched between Rupprecht and Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm of Prussia. All are plentifully supplied with cannon fodder.

Von Arnim has some 19 divisions (228,000 men) between Ypres and Bailleul (a front of about 8 miles) in the line and reserve. Von Quast has 30 divisions (360,000 men) between Bailleul and Lens (roughly a 25 mile front). Von Below has 15 divisions (180,000 men) between Lens and Bapaume (about 20 miles). Von Der Marwitz has 20 divisions (360,000 men) between Bapaume and the Aisne river (about 25 miles). Von Hutier has 36 divisions (420,000 men) from the Aisne to the Noyon region (about 35 miles).

These total about 65 divisions (780,000 men) in the line and some sixty divisions (720,000 men) in reserve.

Simms' dispatch would indicate that Mackensen, the conqueror of Serbia and the director of the last big Italian drive, is in command of the German armies in the Amiens region, where American troops are fighting. The dispatch said this German commander is reported opposite the "British right flank" which is supposed to converge with the French near Villers-Bretonneux, just south of the Somme. Under Mackensen, as field commander, apparently is von der Marwitz, whose control extends from Bapaume to the Aisne.

As some of the American troops are below the Aisne, however, they also apparently are faced by the armies under the direct command of von Hutier, who, in turn, is under the German Crown Prince.

### NAVAL ORDNANCE FUND LARGELY INCREASED

WASHINGTON, May 9.—At the urgent request of Secretary Daniels, the Senate Naval Affairs committee increased the naval ordnance appropriation in the navy appropriation bill by nearly \$200,000,000 today.

The addition of \$200,000,000, it was intimated today, is to be used in providing heavy caliber guns for the use of the land forces.

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**HITCHCOCK IS MADE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN**

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska, was elected chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations committee today by the Democratic steering committee to succeed the late Senator Stone, of Missouri.

### Military Probe To Place Blame Of Fatal Blast

Nine Texas Soldiers Killed, Two Others May Die, In Mortar Explosion

CAMP BOWIE, Tex., May 8.—A military investigation was under way here today to place responsibility for the explosion of a Stokes trench mortar which resulted in the death of nine Texas soldiers and the injury of eight others late yesterday.

Witnesses declared the gun burst when one of the crew attempted to force a shell into it.

Lieut. A. J. McDavid was killed. General Grebel camp commander, narrowly escaped injury. At least two of the privates may die.

### BULLETINS

**MERGE EXPRESS COMPANIES FOR PERIOD OF WAR**

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Merger of the four leading express companies—Wells Fargo, United States, American, and Adams—is to be sanctioned by the railroad administration for the period of the war.

Virtual agreement has been reached between the administration and the companies on a contract giving the national railroad fifty per cent of the gross earnings and a share in excess profits. The government will not take over the amalgamated companies.

**CLAIMS CYCLOPS COMING TO PORT**

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—Reports that the U. S. collier Cyclops, missing for more than a month, is safe and is being brought into port was current here today. The report was said to have been received by an enlisted man in the navy, who declared he had seen a wireless dispatch giving the information.

**MANY CIVILIANS KILLED AT AMIENS**

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN THE FIELD, May 9.—Two hundred thirty-two civilians have been killed so far in the German bombardment of Amiens, including 30 women and 15 children. In addition 345 civilians have been wounded. None of these include British military casualties.

**THIRD MILITARY PROBE NOT TO BE HELD NOW**

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Request of aviation service officials for a military investigation into their work with the aircraft program, has been temporarily laid aside by Secretary Baker. Baker says he does not want to hamper the Justice Department and Congressional probe by holding a third military probe now.

**HOUSE DETERMINED ON NO DRAFT CREDITS**

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Credit on draft quotas for volunteers will not be given, the House determined late this afternoon, reversing its former position. This removes the only point of contention on the bill and places draft quotas on the number of men in Class 1.

## U. S. Troops Move to France At Rate Exceeding all Plans

BY CARL D. GROAT  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WASHINGTON, May 9.—The American army in France will be on the way to the two million mark by the end of the year.

This forecast has added weight today from Secretary of War Baker's official statement that we have now passed the 500,000 mark "over there." Included in these are regular, national guard and national army forces.

The addition to the half million now there is being accomplished steadily. A maximum effort is expected to be reached this month or next, and to continue well along into the summer.

While it may not be said just how fast the troops are moving, it can be stated reliably that the present speed is several times as great as it was in the ebb period around February.

Draft calls continue to come steadily. Provost Marshal General Crowder sent a call to all states except Utah and Nevada for 5813 men to serve in the engineer, ordnance, signal, veterinary and quartermaster corps. Volunteers will be accepted up until May 20 and the men will be mobilized June 1.

The British representatives here are greatly cheered by the way in which the government from its own resources and with the British aid has been able to exceed original promises.

Some military men here think the German drive now at hand is quite possibly next to the last great effort. They said that, aside from a possible Italian offensive, they doubted that the Germans could keep up major thrusts much longer, though they warned cessation of such smashes would by no means mark the end of serious battling.

### A FULL DINNER PAIL FOR ALL U. S. RAILWAY EMPLOYEES

R. R. Director McAdoo Approves at Least \$300,000,000 Wage Increases

**ALL WORKERS WILL BE TREATED ALIKE**

Organized and Unorganized Fare the Same; No Shorter Hours Granted

WASHINGTON, May 9.—A full dinner pail for all is to be the government's policy toward the national railroad employees during the war.

Formal announcement of the railroad wage commission's report, advocating wage increases for all railroad workers making less than \$250 a month in 1915, was followed today by assurance that Director General McAdoo approves the increases proposed—and possibly may extend more.

Before acting on his commission's report, he will confer with representatives of the new schedules—amounting to increases of nearly \$300,000,000 annually, with \$100,000,000 back pay to January 1—would work hardship on any class of workers.

The policy of the government toward its labor is clearly set forth in the digest of the report, an excerpt from which declares:

"Organized and unorganized employees are to be treated alike. Women and men who perform equal service are to be given equal pay, and differences in pay are not to be predicated on color."

In reaching its conclusions, the wage commission declined to accede to many requests made by the employees. The contention of the men that they wanted a shorter day and more overtime to enforce it was met with the following from the commission's report:

"At this time when urgent and serious necessity compels sacrifice from all, to penalize the government for working its men as long as they have been in the habit of working under their private employers is to take advantage of the two-fold embarrassment of the government—its need for the work and its inability to call in outside men. The commission does not believe the railroad employees really want thus to hamper the transportation facilities of the country in its hour of need."

It would be "a splendid thing," says the commission, "if we could at this time crystallize the experience of the world in a conclusion concerning the length of the work day that would be of universal application. But this is not possible now, for many reasons, not the least of which is an insufficiency of data touching so many and such diverse employments which call for such suffering and strain upon human nerves and muscle."

Declaring that "this, moreover, is not the time to make experiments," the commission adds "that the one thing imperative is volume and speed in railroad output. Our needs as a nation and the vital needs of those nations with whom we are allied, have been imperilled by the shortcomings

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**Wounded slightly**—Lieut. Thos. H. Reagan, Canton, Ill.; Lieuts. James G. Sheeran, Chicago; Paul B. Stewart, Warren, Pa.; Corporals Russell Preston, Paintsville, Ky.; James W. Telley, Vulcan, Mo.; Mechanic George Davis, Reading, Pa.; Privates Karl Bamblowski, Chicago; Joseph Borowski, Bessemer, Mich.; Wm. G. Burk, Douglas, Ariz.; Privates William F. Cooper, Hollow Rock, Tenn.; Howard Cummings, Powell, Ohio; Clatie R. Cunningham, Watson, Tenn.; Joe G. Drzewiecki, Chicago; Harry Herman, Lockhaven, Pa.; James Hildebrand, North Fond du Lac, Wis.; Clarence G. Hilty, Gettysburg, Pa.; Durl W. Mansberger, Newark, Ohio; Leland E. Rhoades, Medora, Ill.; Ben F. Wilmoth, La Grange, Miss.

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### Initiate Drive For Nation Dry During the War

Sixty-Day Campaign of Dry Federation to Center on Congress Members

CHICAGO, May 9.—A sixty-day campaign for nation-wide prohibition during the war was opened today by the National Dry Federation. Campaign Manager W. G. Calderwood of Minneapolis, Minn., who opened headquarters here, said the campaign would center on members of Congress. W. J. Bryan is president of the Federation, Governor Capper of Kansas, treasurer, and Rev. Charles Scanlon of Pittsburg, secretary.

Federal prohibition, Calderwood said, in his opening shot, would have averted the fuel famine and conserved food enough to feed twice the United States army.

### United States Casualty List

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Casualties reported today by the war department totaled 75, including ten killed in action, three deaths from wounds, six of disease, two from accident, thirteen wounded severely and 41 wounded slightly.

Captain Andrew S. Robertson, Columbus, Ohio, previously reported missing, is now known to be a prisoner.

Today's list follows:

**Killed in action**—Lieut. Harold Sydney Morgan, Vancouver barracks, Wash.; Corporal Manoah J. Kirby, West Baden, Ind.; Privates Harry J. Allen, Aurora, Ill.; Ernest C. Bell, Middlefield, Conn.; Robert A. Brewster, Finley, Tenn.; William B. Dalton, Holbrook, Mass.; Forest H. Harrison, Dearborn, Mich.; Melvin T. Johnson, Hawley, Minn.; Charles R. Livermore, Dechester, Mass.; Michael Viotti, 244 Alvarado St., Monterey, Cal.

**Died of wounds**—Corporal Alfred L. Tate, Cummings, Kan.; Privates Earl W. Mountain, Ada, Kan.; Clinton C. Walda, Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Died of disease**—Sergeant Herbert E. Sheldon, Providence, R. I.; Privates Henry T. Hoyt, Chelsea, Mass.; Lee McCowan, Conroe, Texas; Arthur Eugene Newman, St. Louis, Mo.; Horace B. Quivey, Encampment, Wyo.; Peter C. Smith, Colby, Wis.

**Died from accident**—Cadet Ivan D. Livingston, Pullman, Wash.; Private John S. Henry, Bristol, Tenn.

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### EIGHT AMERICANS IN CANADA'S CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, Ont., May 9.—The following Americans appear in today's Canadian casualty list:

**Died of wounds**—N. W. Gammon, St. Paul, Minn.

**Wounded**—H. Nash, Pleasant Hill, Mo.; S. B. Joy, Brainerd, Minn.; H. L. Perrett, Missoula, Mont.; D. Bain, Springfield, Ill.; M. Breznan, Bisbee, Ariz.; W. A. Schooler, Mount Liberty, Ohio.

**Died**—C. T. Gladman, Chicago.

WATCH the east front. With Ukraina (Figure 1) and Finland (Figure 2) showing ever increasing opposition to the German oppression, the Hun's forced peace in the east runs a good chance of blowing up. Finns have been fighting the Russians for complete freedom, and the Ukrainians are preparing to resist the German declaration of martial law. At Kiev the Germans have imprisoned many Ukrainian officials. Figure 3 shows Sevastopol, just taken by the Germans. Here the Russian Black Sea fleet fled when the Germans took Odessa and this fleet was also captured by the Germans.



## U. S. Cannon Blows Up Hun Battery in Picardy

By FRED S. FERGUSON, United Press Staff Correspondent

WITH THE AMERICANS IN PICARDY, May 9.—The American artillery continues pounding the German positions.

One German battery is known to have been blown up. Another in Bois de L'Alval, near Framicourt, which has been heavily shelling our positions, was stopped by the American retaliatory fire.

(Bois de L'Alval, or the wood of Alval, is less than a mile northwest of Framicourt and about the same distance north of Cantigny.)

While there is speculation as to where the next German attack is coming, the Franco-American staffs responsible for barring the way to Paris are on the alert. There are indications that the boche is bringing up additional artillery in this region.

The Frenchmen highly commend the work of the Americans in strengthening the line here. Every day finds the Americans in better shape to withstand an attack. Their trenches are stronger and more wire has been stretched.

The Franco-American liaison is extremely effective. The transport service is working smoothly and the hospitals are co-operating to the fullest extent.

As soon as men are taken to the hospital their uniforms are taken off and cleaned, but the American hospitals are short of extra uniforms. In consequence it is nothing unusual to see a line of grinning Americans in French uniforms enroute to the aviation station. Aerial battles are frequent, as are encounters between night patrols. The boches have established new machine gun emplacements.

A letter found on a dead German testifies to the effectiveness of the American artillery. Apparently referring to Cantigny, the letter says the German positions were completely demolished and that the Germans dared not show themselves in the day time. One American shell hit in the midst of a ration party, killing and wounding several.

A memorandum of a French corps reports the capture of an escaped German prisoner and a traitorous German-American in an unnamed sector. Dressed in American officers' uniforms, they asked permission to cross the lines and examine the ground in No Man's Land, with a view of using tanks. The request aroused suspicion and both were arrested. Examination revealed the German-American aided the prisoner to escape and was an accomplice in spying.

## Lloyd-George Victory in Commons Looked for Today

(BY J. W. T. MASON, United Press War Expert)

LONDON, May 9.—The Lloyd-George government was vindicated today when the house of commons, acting on Asquith's motion for appointment of a parliamentary committee to investigate General Maurice's charges against the premier, defeated the measure by a 2 to 1 vote.

Lloyd-George took part in the debate. He charged General Maurice did not act fairly and should have made his charges before the cabinet. He stated Maurice was as responsible as anybody for figures issued from the war department and accused him of a flagrant breach of discipline.

Lloyd-George also intimated that Asquith was responsible for persistent press attacks on the government.

NEW YORK, May 9.—Indications all point to the Lloyd-George ministry winning a democratic victory in the House of Commons today by defeating the militaristic effort to make major generals superior to disciplinary measures imposed by the high civilian authorities.

The overthrow of the government will result only if the premier and the chancellor of the exchequer are proven to have deliberately deceived the British nation concerning grave military matters. To assist in creating throughout the world an impression

of unreliability of British ministerial declarations will weaken any British politician who sides with General Maurice unless the charges are conclusively maintained.

For this reason, ex-Premier Asquith may reconsider his initial hostility to the government as today's debate proceeds, and may, in the end, withdraw his motion which amounts to a demand for a formal inquiry into the honor of members of the ministry. If, however, the government should fall as a result of today's proceedings, Asquith would undoubtedly be the first to be requested by the king to form a new cabinet. This would accord with British precedent, which requires that the leader of the opposition be offered the premiership when the House of Commons overthrows the ministers in power.

Mr. Asquith has been in reality the leader of the opposition since his own resignation of the premiership, but to present he has directed no more than a benevolent opposition against the government. His return to power on a question so closely connected with the military issues as the present dispute, would result in many difficulties and it is probable Asquith would decline the premiership because of this fact.

Who the alternative choice of premier would be it is impossible to say. But, nobody could continue in office as head of a new British government who had not pledged himself to a wholehearted continuation of the war.

### ALLIES REGAIN GROUND LOST AT FIRST ATTACK

Australians Continue to Improve Positions Between Somme and Ancre

**BRITISH AND FRENCH HOLD TIGHT TO LINE**

Big Guns Ceaselessly Pound Away Along Whole of the Amiens Front

The Germans are again striving desperately to reach Ypres from the southwest.

The fighting which began yesterday morning, is still proceeding with varying success.

Although this assault is made on a narrow front of three miles between Voormezele and Lacy, official and staff dispatches indicate it was extremely desperate.

The British and French were carried back slightly under the impetus of the initial enemy rush yesterday morning, but re-established their lines by a counter attack last night. Today the British were again obliged to retire slightly near La Clytte.

Field Marshal Haig today reported minor fighting at different points along the whole British front. The Australians continue to improve their positions between the Somme and the Ancre.

Near Montdidier the American artillery is still pounding away at the German positions and seemingly is outshooting the enemy gunners.

**HAIG REPORTS IMPROVED POSITIONS**

LONDON, May 9.—"We improved our new positions between the Somme and the Ancre and took several prisoners," Field Marshal Haig reported today.

**BRITISH RECAPTURE ORIGINAL LINE**

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 9.—Counter attacking stubbornly last night the British recaptured their original line southwest of Dickenbush Lake.

Today, at the extreme right of this small battle front, they were compelled to retire, owing to heavy machine gun fire.

Fighting continues about a small pocket which the Germans occupy at a strong point east of Mille Krusen (a mile northeast of La Clytte).

The French withstood a German attack, almost completely stopping the storm troops on the west bank of the Vyverbeek (which flows north-eastward into Dickebusch Lake) which the enemy was unable to cross, owing to field gun fire.

The latest reports show the French line intact, the Germans failing to renew the struggle.

At 3 o'clock this morning the Germans laid down a barrage northeast of Amiens. At 4:15 this sector apparently had quieted without any attack.

On the rest of the front the guns are ceaselessly pounding. Near Bucquoy, the British were slightly forced back from positions which they won yesterday.

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**BRITISH SUCCESSFULLY STAGE COUNTER ATTACK**

LONDON, May 9.—British troops by a counter attack last night drove the Germans from portions of the Allied front which they had occupied in the morning, between La Clytte and Voormezele, Field Marshal Haig reported today.

"We drove the enemy last night from the positions he gained yesterday morning in the La Clytte-Voormezele section and re-established the positions we originally held," the statement said.

"A new German attack north of

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# News from the Courts

## JONES EMPLOYED TO MAKE REPORT ON CANYON ROUTE

Doctors Think Price of \$10 Too Low For Making Post Mortem

A committee of the Board of Supervisors has employed George W. Jones of Los Angeles to make a recommendation as to what shall be done in the Santa Ana canyon to circumvent Sulphur Slide.

Jones has visited the Sulphur Slide area, and it is expected that he will make a recommendation at a meeting of the supervisors next Tuesday. Jones is chief assistant of Engineer Joiner, who is in charge of construction for Los Angeles county.

**Asking for Raise**

Dr. W. C. DuBois, representing the Orange County Medical Society, appeared before the Board of Supervisors and urged that the compensation for making a post mortem examination be raised. For a long time the county has allowed a fixed charge of \$10 for each post mortem made for the county. Dr. DuBois' request was referred to a committee for a report.

**Some Road Matters**

The road in the third district petitioned for by J. H. Morningstar and others was accepted. The sum of \$670 was ordered to Mrs. Anna Derksen for a right of way. If she fails to accept the offer within ten days, action for condemnation will be brought.

A road petitioned for by O. E. Guther at Olive was declared to be a county road.

The petition of Hugh La Rue to abandon a road at Cypress was granted, and the petition of the Hewes Realty Company to abandon a road at El Modena was set for hearing on June 5.

**For Road Building**

Supervisor Talbert was granted permission to expend over \$500 and up to \$500 in construction work upon the proposed road between Newport Beach and Huntington Beach. Similar permission was given to Supervisor Leck for the improvement of McKinley street at San Juan Capistrano.

The resignation of C. L. Neuwanger as constable at Seal Beach was accepted. He has become a Santa Ana policeman.

**Hearing Is Set**

May 21 at 10 a. m. was set as the time for hearing the petition of the Newport Mesa Irrigation District. The hearing will be upon the fixing of boundaries.

— W. S. S. —  
**FOR APPRAISEMENTS**

State Appraiser Anderson has been appointed to appraise the estate of Isabella C. Quay. John Swain, A. N. Stanley and J. R. Gallimore have been appointed to appraise the estate of Fred Livingston, a minor.

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## 'SEND ME OUT TO THE COUNTY FARM,' SAYS CONFESSED BURGLAR

"Send me to the county farm, and it will be all right with me, judge," said Jack Ryam, after he had pleaded guilty to burglarizing a house at West Anaheim.

"You fail to comprehend the seriousness of the offense," replied Judge West. "This offense may mean that you go to San Quentin."

Ryam was wandering through the country when he stole clothing and food from a ranch house. When arraigned in the superior court yesterday he had no attorney, and said he did not want one. After he had exposed his utter lack of comprehension of his situation, Judge West continued the case until tomorrow morning at 2:30 o'clock, and urged Ryam to allow the court to appoint an attorney for him.

## NEARLY \$425,000 IS COLLECTED BY LAMB IN MONTH OF APRIL

This morning County Tax Collector J. C. Lamb completed his monthly settlement with the county treasurer. It was quite a sizable transaction. For the month of April, Lamb turned in to the county the sum of \$424,071.67, of which \$419,784.94 was for usual collections. In addition to that Lamb turned in amounts as follows: Garden Grove lighting district, \$2986.60; initial fees for additions to Talbert drainage district, \$762.50; Fullerton sewer district, \$82.08; Laguna sanitary district, \$10.55.

Since the Laguna district has been attacked in court, but few of the property owners paid the district tax.

Garden Grove storm water district taxes will not go delinquent until Jan. 1, 1919, but the district is urging early payment by property owners so that there will be ample work this summer. Lamb had collected several thousand dollars before April, for that district.

## THREE ARE ASKING FOR PROBATION SENTENCES

On May 17 Judge West will decide three petitions for probation.

Louie Hauser, pleading guilty to burglarizing a store at Tustin, wants to be allowed to go free. Yesterday he had his wife and child in court. When Judge West asked him concerning a reported forgery case at Escondido, Hauser said that that matter had been straightened out.

"But a felony cannot be straightened out to such an extent that it is not to be considered in a plea for probation," replied the judge.

Jose De Leon and Perfecto Trujillo, convicted of burglarizing hen coops, are back for re-sentencing for definite terms. Each is asking for probation. They will be heard on May 17.

## SUES FORMER PARTNER FOR HALF OF \$4500

George H. Weatherly has brought action against his former partner, L. W. Bushard. The two were real estate agents together at Anaheim from June, 1914, to June, 1916, and when they quit business there was 254 shares of stock of the Anaheim Brewing Company in Bushard's name and one share in Weatherly's. Weatherly asserts that he had a half interest in the total of 255 shares. He says that Bushard sold the 254 shares to W. E. Alexander for notes totaling \$4500, and now claims the notes as his own. Weatherly asks judgment for what he claims is his share of the notes. Williams & Rutan are attorneys for the plaintiff.

## GRAND AVENUE MAN LOSES GRAIN SACKS

H. A. Henning of 714 Grand avenue, has reported to the police authorities that some one entered his barn during the night and took about 100 grain sacks. The loss was discovered this morning. Henning says that the barn was entered about this time last year but nothing was missed.

## SUBMIT UPON BRIEFS

This morning Judge West heard arguments upon some of the points raised in the action in which J. V. Burr is suing C. B. Berger and H. O. Henderson of Anaheim for \$4000. Burr asserts that he got a contract to clear seventy acres in Modoc county for the defendants, and says that \$4000 is due him. The defendants allege that there was no contract for work, but merely an option to Burr by which he could buy the place. Legal points are to be submitted on briefs.

## GIVEN FINAL DECREE

A final decree of divorce has been given Ernest E. Glick against Maude A. Glick.

## CHARGES NON-SUPPORT

Ramona Vernal has sworn to a complaint charging Pablo Vernal with non-support of his six children.

**For Health & Food Conservation**

**Grape-Nuts**

"THERE'S A REASON"

## COAST BOULEVARD'S RIGHT OF WAY WILL COST CITY \$7170

Judge Thomas Renders Judgment In Beach Condemnation Case

Under a decision rendered by Judge Thomas in the condemnation action brought by the City of Newport Beach for the opening of its coast boulevard between Twenty-third street and Thirtieth street, Newport Beach will have to pay property owners whose lands are to be taken sums that total \$7170.

There are seventeen parcels of land to be taken for the street opening. Five of the property owners are allowed damages in addition to what the judge found to be the value of the land taken.

The decisions gave sums as follows: To Grace Perkins, \$260, of which \$200 is damages; to S. Baker, \$500, of which \$350 is damages; to S. Baker, \$200, of which \$150 is damages; to J. M. Atkins, \$600, of which \$537.60 is damages; to Jennie B. Foster, \$335, of which \$200 is damages; G. W. Lake, \$350; Newport Beach City, \$300; W. L. Erb, \$425; W. G. Metzger, \$425; W. W. Crossier, \$425; Orange County Improvement Association, \$400; Clara B. Hossack, \$400; State of California, \$250; Mary N. Gordon, \$425; C. H. Scott, \$425; R. K. Torrens, \$800; W. H. Clune, \$550.

## MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Action to foreclose a mortgage for \$6500 has been brought by William Jackson against Alice C. Willey. Fifteen acres are involved. A Long Beach attorney represents the plaintiff.

## PRESENT MAY MASQUE AT POMONA COLLEGE

The women of Pomona College are to give a May Masque, as a Red Cross benefit, on the evening of Saturday, May 11, at 8:15 o'clock, in the Greek theater at Claremont. The masque, "The Length of a Dozen Dreams," is under the supervision of the physical education department, which has laid special emphasis on aesthetic dancing in the past four years.

May 11th is to be made a women's day at Pomona. In the morning there will be a Red Cross conference with delegates from all the high schools of Southern California. The girls will enjoy a delectable luncheon and the members of the Phi Beta Kappa in Southern California will have their meeting at the same time. A Red Cross garden party and an hour of music in Bridge's hall are planned for the afternoon.

## FOOD ADMINISTRATOR TOOK BRIBE, CHARGE; NOW IS UNDER ARREST

Nevada Deputy Caught In Act of Accepting Money From Flour Company

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—James A. Wood, deputy U. S. food administrator for Nevada, was under arrest today charged with accepting a bribe from the South Fork Flouring Milling Company of Elko, Nev.

The arrest was made by federal agents after a dictagraph had been installed in Wood's hotel room here, where he met W. W. Percival of the milling company. The complaint charges that Wood agreed to receive \$500 a month to keep competitive flour outside the company's trading radius.

The company has recently been fined \$1000 for violating food administration orders.

## NO GROUNDS FOR THE SOVIET PROTEST, SAYS INFORMAL U. S. ANSWER

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Ambassador Francis has been informed by the state department that there is no foundation for the soviet claims that the American Vladivostok consul was over-friendly to Siberian counter-revolutionists. This statement will be communicated informally to the soviet government as the American answer to the soviet objection against the consul, John Caldwell. The informal nature of the answer means that the soviet government is not now recognized by the United States, though the complaint evidently was an attempt to force a statement of position as to recognition.

## AMERICAN AVIATORS AWARDED WAR CROSS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, May 8.—Lieut. A. J. Koyle, pilot, and Lieut. G. B. Bird, observer, today were decorated with the croix de guerre for bravery. A fortnight ago, in an observation machine, they fought off three German airplanes directly over the front lines.

## METHODIST PASTORS NOW AVERAGE \$1000 YR.

CHICAGO, May 9.—The average pay of preachers in the Methodist Episcopal church has passed the \$1000 mark for the first time in history, according to the report of J. B. Hingley, secretary of the board of conference claimants, to the annual meeting.

"The membership of the church now is 4,282,289, an increase of 155,253," he stated. "The value of church property has reached \$225,116,567,



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and of parsonages, \$38,085,936."

A small decrease in the number of churches was noted, said to be due to combinations in rural communities arising from increased use of the automobile, which enabled members to travel farther to attend services.

— W. S. S. —  
**HARRISON BROWN DIES**

BERKELEY, May 9.—Henry Harrison Brown, Civil war veteran, president of the World New Thought Federation in 1905, was stricken with heart failure and died while attending exercises in honor of the fifty-first encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in the Greek theater here.

Brown resided in San Francisco. He was editor of a local New Thought magazine and was 77 years old. In 1906 he established a co-operative community in Glenwood, Santa Cruz county.

**CADDOCK RETAINS TITLE**

CHICAGO, May 9.—Sergeant Earl Caddock retains his heavyweight wrestling championship today, but he has yet to gain a victory on falls from Wladek Zbyszko, Polish grappler. Caddock was awarded a decision on points at the end of two hours of futile struggling here last night. Zbyszko's 50-pound advantage in weight and his strength, offset Caddock's science, skill and speed.

**CLAIM AGENTS ILLEGAL**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—Warning that claim agents, pension attorneys and other persons seeking employment by soldiers and soldiers' dependents in connection with war risk insurance were not necessary at were "seeking employment illegal and reprehensible" was given by Mr. Lionel S. Schmitt, assistant adjutant of the western department of the army.

Sale Starts—Tomorrow—Friday at 9 o'Clock

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Silk, wool or cotton skirts are included in this sale of Spring garments.



## DECIDE FATE OF LLOYD-GEORGE GOVERNMENT TODAY

House of Commons Debates  
This Afternoon on 'Lie'  
Charge Gen. Maurice

BY ED L. KEEN  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
LONDON, May 9.—The Lloyd George government will stand or fall in the momentous debate in Commons this afternoon on the charges brought by General Maurice, impeaching the veracity of the premier and Chancellor of the Exchequer concerning war matters.

Unless the government is able to reply satisfactorily, it is agreed that it means the ministers' resignations will be forced.

Both sides are lined up for the division. After a day of unprecedented political excitement, politicians are of the opinion that the affair resolves itself into a situation such as is summed up by the Daily News, which said:

"Charges have been made against Mr. Lloyd George. If they cannot refute these charges, they must resign. If they can answer satisfactorily there will be no ground for their resignations. The single issue is whether the ministers dealt honorably with Commons."

The consensus of the morning press seems to be that the government undoubtedly will win a victory in the division. The action of the unionists in deciding to support the government and the Irish nationalists' evident refusal to participate strengthens the government's position.

Lloyd George Bonar Law and Sir Edward Carson undoubtedly will speak.

MAURICE'S SECOND  
SHARP CRITICISM

BY J. W. T. MASON  
(United Press War Expert)  
NEW YORK, May 9.—The issue of military criticism against the orders of the British civil government has been realized by Major General Maurice's public accusation of lying brought against Lloyd George's ministry.

No democratic government that deliberately misleads public opinion can continue to exist; but General Maurice has not yet proven that the civilian authorities have deceived the British people concerning the true facts of the army. This is General Maurice's second recent adventure in impudent criticism.

His first was his attack on General Foch during the German offensive in Flanders for not ordering French reserves northward as rapidly as General Maurice believed should have been done. If General Maurice had not been removed from his post because of this offense, it is highly probable he would now be attempting to overthrow the Lloyd George ministry to justify the right of militarists to challenge the power of the civil government. The charge of the misstatement of fact, which General Maurice brings against the prime minister relates to a declaration in the House of Commons made a month

ago. If the matter were as serious as General Maurice pretends to make out, his own silence during this period is difficult to explain on the theory that his action is solely for the good of the army.

General Maurice's work as director of military operations formed the link connecting the British government at home with the army commanders in the field. It was General Maurice's duty before his removal to have brought before the prime minister privately any misstatements about the army in the House of Commons, and not to use the newspapers now after his responsibility has ceased.

General Maurice's retirement from his former position was undoubtedly due to a large extent to the instantaneous criticism in the United States of his equivocal attitude toward General Foch. America, therefore, is in a way responsible for the turn General Maurice has sought to give to events. His public attack on the British government is a challenge to democratic governmental responsibility. It should strengthen the Lloyd George ministry; but if the government falls on the issue, any succeeding premier would be compelled to disavow suspicions that he is an army appointee.

## ORANGE COUNTY SEDITION LAW CONSIDERED

Proposed Federal Enactment  
May Cover the  
Ground

District Attorney L. A. West and some of the city attorneys of this county are considering the advisability of passing ordinances against sedition.

Yesterday the district attorney and City Attorney W. R. Garrett of Orange held a telephone conversation over the matter, and each expressed himself as anxious to take steps for such legislation as is found necessary.

"If the proposed legislation by congress is put through," said District Attorney West, "no legislation by the county and cities will be necessary. From what I have seen of the measure under consideration at Washington, I am satisfied that the federal law will be adequate and strong enough to reach any and all cases of sedition. I am writing to Congressman Kettner today, asking that he keep me informed upon the situation. Should the federal law not cover the ground, we can then very quickly pass county and city ordinances."

W. S. S.  
NOTICE  
The undersigned lumber yards will be closed all day Saturday, the 11th, on account of Lumbermen's annual picnic at Orange County Park.

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## ARIZONA CAR LIMIT LAW ATTACKED AS WAR WORK HINDRANCE

PHOENIX, Ariz., May 9.—On the ground that an Arizona law is interfering with war work, eastern railroad today filed suit in the Federal District court, to have the state car limit law, fixing 70 cars as the maximum for one train, declared unconstitutional. Recently Attorney General Jones brought suit against the railroads, charging violation of the measure, while the defense holds the law interferes with transportation of war materials.

## THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Friday; westerly winds.

## THE TIDES

Friday, May 10  
4:15 a. m., 1.5; 10:38 a. m., 4.4;  
3:37 p. m., 1.3; 10:01 p. m., 6.9

## New York Citrus Market

NEW YORK, May 9.—Twenty-seven cars oranges and 1 car lemons were sold today. Orange market strong and about 10 to 20 cents higher on all varieties except Valencia, which were about 10 to 15 cents lower. Averages ranged from \$2.41 to \$7.05. Highest price, President, \$7.10. Lemon market about 40 cents higher. Averages \$5.36 to \$6.13. Weather fair, 8 a. m. temperature 54.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

IN SANTA ANA  
Robert A. Wilson, 23, and Josephine A. Davidson, 19, both of Moneta.  
Frank R. M. Buttolph, 30, Monrovia, and Belle McKay, 26, Area, Ill.  
Raymond I. Blackwell, 21, and Elizabeth M. Griffin, 22, both of Los Angeles.  
John A. Brown, 52, Los Angeles, and Elizabeth H. Bugbey, 52, Kansas City, Mo.

## BIRTHS

HAWK—In this city, May 8, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hawk, a 10½ pound son.

Hawk is authority for the statement that the new arrival's first scream was in the nature of a query as to whether Orange county had gone over the top in the Third Liberty Loan.

## DEATHS

BROOKS—In this city, May 8, 1918, Alfred R. Brooks, aged 26 years. Deceased was a brother of Dr. C. H. Brooks. Private funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30 at Smith & Tuthill's, with Rev. Harcourt W. Peck of the First M. E. church officiating.

## A FULL DINNER PAID FOR ALL U. S. RAILWAY EMPLOYEES

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of our transportation system. There is no one who wishes to risk a repetition of this condition."

## OFFICIALS PLEASED AT WAGE INCREASES

CHICAGO, May 9.—Western railway officials were apparently agreed today that the railroad wage commission has solved a difficult problem in recommending a graduated scale of increases for employees. Frederick W. Lehmann, general counsel of the commission, returning to his home in St. Louis, said the main object of that body was to satisfy the men.

H. E. Byram, vice president of the C. B. & Q., pronounced the proposed schedule a wise adjustment.

"It will take care of the men adequately," he said. "That is something railroad officials have wanted to do when they could. The national railroad's reported deficit, of course, will be increased by this additional expense. There is one way, naturally, to correct a deficit and that is increased rates. No one can say what will be done along that line until Mr. McAdoo has passed on the suggestions of the commission."

"A very fair scale," said P. S. Eustis, Illinois Central official. "Mr. McAdoo undoubtedly will determine all its possible effects before accepting it."

"The railroad wage commission's recommendation that equal wages be paid for equal work regardless of sex or creed, is one of the most promising fruits of government control," Miss Jane Addams, woman's leader, declared.

"We have repeatedly asked that women share alike with men in wages for clerks and stenographers where equal labor is performed."

W. S. S.  
HAS HAND BADLY CUT  
Clarence White of the White Grocery on West Fourth street, met with a painful accident this afternoon. While walking along behind a counter the back of his right hand struck a sharp butcher knife extending over the edge of the counter. A deep gash was cut in the back of the hand. A physician dressed the wound.

W. S. S.  
The millinery sale you have been waiting for is now in progress at the Mode, 417 N. Main. Make your selections early, while our stock is complete.

W. S. S.  
MAKE PLANS FOR RED  
CROSS DRIVE IN SOUTH

Plans for carrying on the Red Cross drive for Southern California's \$3,000,000 quota of the \$100,000,000 national relief fund, were made yesterday at a meeting of 375 chairmen and Red Cross leaders of Southern California and Arizona, held at the Alexandria. Fred Rafferty, chairman of the local finance committee, represented the Santa Ana society.

An important feature agreed upon was that Red Cross week should be ushered in by a big parade in Los Angeles and parades in each of the cities and towns of Southern California. Saturday, the 18th inst. Then on Monday, the 20th, will begin the actual canvass for the money. Quotas have been assigned each city and town, as was done in the Liberty Loan campaign.

Harold Janss, who is in charge of publicity for the last Liberty Loan drive and is in charge of publicity for the Red Cross drive, spoke at the luncheon, saying:

"The publishers of newspapers in Southern California certainly came through in great style during the Liberty Loan drive and gave us 180,000 inches of free publicity. I want to express our thanks right now."

After telling of the plans for publicity during the coming campaign, slides and motion pictures showing what the Red Cross is doing in France were shown under Mr. Janss' direction.

"Smoke out the slacker" will be the Southern California slogan for the great Red Cross drive which will begin Monday, the 20th inst., and end Monday, the 27th. The quota for Southern California is \$3,000,000, and for Los Angeles \$750,000.

The conference yesterday was presided over by John B. Miller, chairman of the Pacific division, War Finance Committee, American Red Cross.



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## ALLIES REGAIN GROUND LOST AT FIRST ATTACK

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Kemmel this morning pressed back our line slightly at one point.

"Yesterday's attack in Flanders was carried out by two German divisions (24,000 men). They suffered heavy casualties. Hostile raids were repulsed last night in the neighborhood of Lens and Merris. We took prisoners yesterday in the local fighting near Bucquoy (midway between Arras and Albert)."

"The enemy's artillery developed considerable activity last night in the Albert sector."

## FRENCH REPULSE GERMAN RAID

PARIS, May 9.—Artillery fighting north and south of the Avre continued last night, the French war office announced today.

A German raid was repulsed at La Chapelle-Saignan.

Regarding the operations in Macedonia, it was reported that artillery fighting had developed between Lake Dorian and Monastir. Two enemy raids on Serbian positions were repulsed.

## LATE WIRE NEWS

### MEN, OFFICERS KILLED WHEN STEAMER SINKS

LONDON, May 9.—Three officers and twenty men were killed when the British mine steamer Mine was sunk May 1, the admiralty announces.

### U. S. CRUISER DESTROYS GERMAN SUBMARINE

AN ATLANTIC PORT, May 9.—A United States cruiser arriving last night destroyed a German submarine recently, it became known today. The cruiser's gunners scored a clean hit, the U-boat breaking in two and flying into the air when the shell struck.  
W. S. S.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

Sunny Southland in Brief

LOS ANGELES.—Capt. Richmond P. Hobson arrived in Los Angeles last night and will speak at the "America in war" rally at the Bible Institute this evening.

LONG BEACH.—An allied drive, with city, county, state and nation co-operating, against the mosquito menace in the Long Beach and Los Angeles harbor district opened here today. It will be another war of extermination. Advancing under a barrage of distillate, a force of local mosquito eradicators descended upon the breeding places of the insects and inflicted severe losses on the enemy.

ONTARIO.—The ban on pigs, with the exception of those of the blind variety, was lifted today by Chief of Police W. O. Hardy, following the action of the city council in voting not to enforce the city ordinance prohibiting the raising of hogs in certain districts in Ontario. The action was taken by the council as a war measure, following numerous requests from citizens that they be allowed to get behind Hoover in the matter of pork production.

CLAREMONT.—Scores of out-of-town visitors will be entertained here Saturday on the occasion of the annual May day program given under the auspices of the women's organization of Pomona College.

RIVERSIDE.—Mayor Porter, who has delayed appointing a chief of police since his administration began in January 7, last, has secured Carl J. Carlson for the position. J. A. Van Kirk, who was made the subject of an investigation by the mayor for irregularities as soon as he assumed office, was succeeded by Patrolman William A. Lucas, who served as acting chief up to this time.

REDLANDS.—A class of more than fifty boys and girls received their confirmation at the Church of the Sacred Heart here from Bishop John J. Cantwell, bishop of the diocese of Los Angeles and Monterey of the Catholic church.

BRAWLEY.—"Pro-Germans and slackers not wanted. Get out!" This is the new municipal slogan of Brawley, expressed on a banner in letters two feet high, which has been stretched across Main street. Every male citizen with any sort of income has either subscribed to the third Liberty Loan or has been notified that his presence is not desired. The local vigilance committee has cleaned the city of a dozen alleged disloyalists.

RIVERSIDE.—The plans for the floral pageant for Bicycle Day next Saturday have developed in importance sufficient to cause Mayor Porter to issue a proclamation calling upon citizens to witness it.  
W. S. S.

## CHARGE FRED FULTON MANN LAW VIOLATOR

LOS ANGELES, May 9.—That Fred Fulton, well known pugilist who is now on a vaudeville circuit, is charged with violation of the Mann White slave law through bringing Miss Dorothy Gaynon from Salt Lake City to California, became known today, when a report reached here that department of justice officials had been searching for Fulton in Oakland. No warrant has been issued here for his arrest, and at last reports he had not been taken into custody.

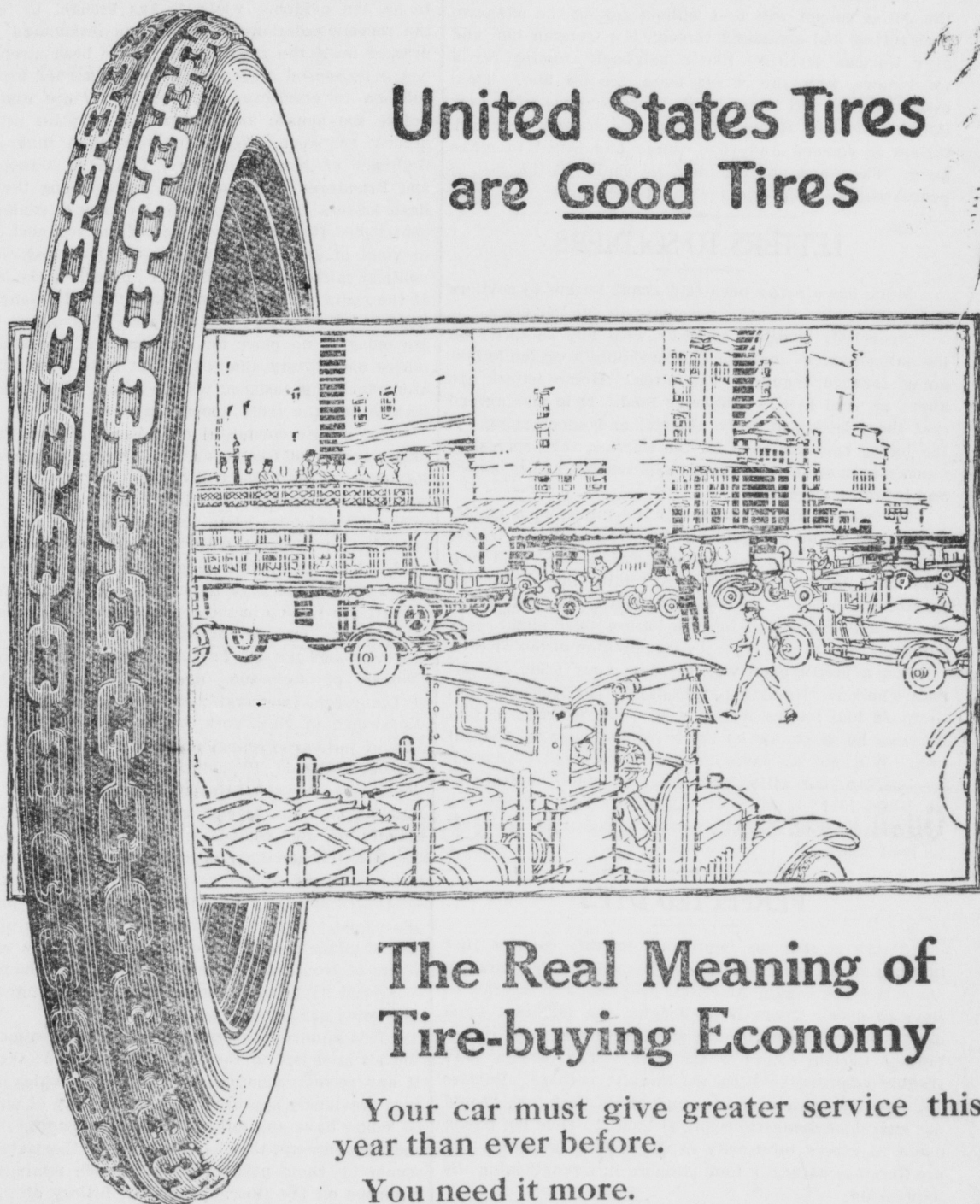


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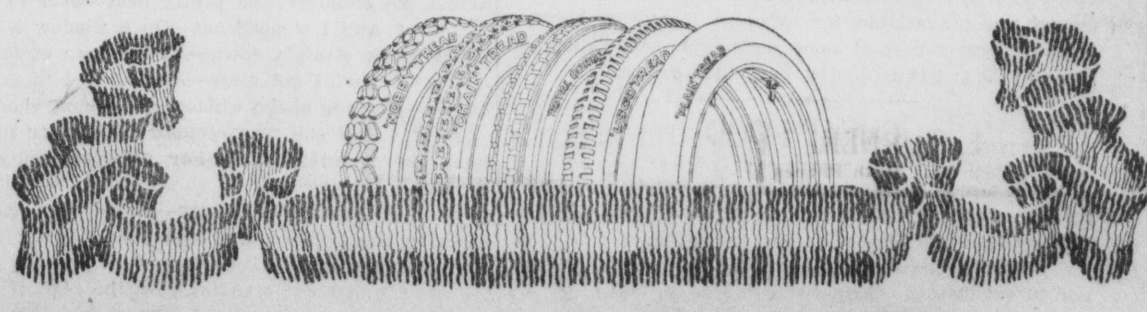
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**THE VICTORY WE WANT**

"If the Allies hold, Germany is beaten," says a Spanish statesman, returning from Germany.

Very likely he knows what he is talking about; and yet we hesitate to agree with him. Did anybody ever hear of a football game that was won by simply holding the line?

And granting that Germany may wear out her manpower by suicidal dashes against a stone-wall defense, and thus be driven to sue for peace, there is still much to be desired. We do not want to beat Germany that way. We want no passive victory—no conclusion which is really a draw, but is called a victory merely because the other side lacks material strength to go on fighting.

We want a moral as well as a material victory. And the Allies cannot win that without taking the offensive themselves, and smashing through the German line and over German territory like a half-back running for a touch-down with the whole team around him. Then every German will know in his heart that we have won, that his demigod Kaiser is licked to a frazzle, that militarism is doomed and that Kultur has failed to make good. Then, and not till then, we shall get the sort of peace that we want and the world needs.

**LETTERS TO SOLDIERS**

Much has already been said about letters to soldiers and sailors. But it seems necessary to say yet more.

Everybody qualified to speak with any authority on the subject agrees that home folks should keep the letters going forward regularly and often. Home letters are about as vital to the soldier as food. It is also agreed that those letters must be cheerful and encouraging. If the happy ones are food for the warrior, the depressing, gloomy ones are a sure poison, aggravating homesickness and lowering morale.

In spite of many appeals to the public in a matter that ought to be self-evident, the wrong kind of letters continue to get into the soldiers' and sailors' mail bag. And they do a lot of harm. A soldier may be driven frantic by unhappy letters from home. In most cases the troubles recounted in such letters were slight, only assuming seriousness from the gloomy tone of the writers.

It's a pretty poor way to show your pride in that man whose service flag you display in the front window, to write him letters full of woe. You're proud of him because he is giving so much for his country and for you. Why not do something for your country yourself by bearing your afflictions—great or small—bravely as he bears his? Keep your worries to yourself and tell him the cheerful, homely, normal things that he wants to hear about.

**PERFECTED DYES**

There is still an impression in this country that in spite of the progress made in the aniline dye industry since the war began, American dyes are still inferior to German dyes. There is no dodging the fact that some of the early efforts of our manufacturers were rather crude. Certain colors would "run." The defects were frankly admitted—a little too frankly, perhaps. Dealers got into the habit of telling customers that they "could not guarantee domestic colors as 'fast.'" Thus the public came to expect inferiority in the native product. And pro-Germans naturally took pleasure in strengthening the impression.

There is no longer any ground for it. American dyes today are the equals of German dyes. The fact has been clearly demonstrated at the big exhibition of the American textile industry at the Grand Central Palace in New York City. There is a row of stands on which are hung side by side a large number of American-dyed and German-dyed textiles, all of which have been equally exposed outdoors for three weeks, day and night, and have had the same soapy washing. Both sets look exactly alike. All the colors are "fast." There is no choice between them, experts say.

The public should clearly understand this. There may still be an occasional color, in its pioneer stage, that has not been developed to the desired perfection. But the common, standard colors made in America may now be accepted as every bit as good as those made in Germany. And we shall never again have any use for the German product.

**THE MEAT LIE**

Another mischievous lie, apparently spread by pro-German influences, is at work in many parts of the country. It is to the effect that the United States government wants no fresh meat to be killed for three months this summer.

The lie should be promptly nailed wherever it appears. The government wants nothing of the sort. It expects cattle, sheep and hogs to be killed about as usual. All it asks is that, of the meat thus provided, we should eat a little less than usual, particularly of pork products, so that we may send more to our allies.

There are more meat animals in the country than ever before. We have been killing more than ever, and exporting more meat than ever, and expect to continue doing so.

The mischief in this particular lie consists in the fact that if it were believed, and less livestock were killed and less meat provided, soon there would not be enough meat available for export. Moreover, because meat was scarce here at home, our people would consume more wheat and thus deprive our allies of bread.

**CHEAP FOOD**

Still people are not eating enough potatoes to finish up the surplus left from last year's crop. Old potatoes in most communities are a drug on the market.

From the mere standpoint of food values, it's absurd not to eat more of them when they're so cheap and so nourishing. You can get more for your money right now

in old potatoes than in almost any other foodstuff. That is true not only here in Santa Ana but in nearly every city in the United States.

Besides, we all ought to eat potatoes in order to save wheat, to keep our allies from starving.

And there are other sound reasons. Eating up the old potatoes will save the new ones till they're larger, and thus increase the food supply instead of diminishing it.

**California Looms Up**

(From the Boston Transcript)

The appointment of Senator Johnson of California to the senate committee on military affairs fills the vacancy in the minority membership which has existed since the death of Senator Brady of Idaho. It also dashes the hope of the administration that Senator Nelson of Minnesota would be given this assignment by the Republican leaders. Senator Nelson has been training with the cuckoos lately, which is not surprising in view of the administration's support of his re-election, regarding which there was never the remotest doubt irrespective of the number or identity of his opponents. Had he been appointed to the committee, headed by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, its cuckoo membership would have been increased by one. The selection of Senator Johnson of California for this assignment is due not only to the deep interest which he has taken in the conduct of the war, but the whole-heartedness with which he is supporting a fight to the finish, but also to his ability as a lawyer, his gifts as a cross-examiner, and his identification with the radical wing of his party.

Fruitful as the investigations of Senator Chamberlain's committee have proved, helpful as its constructive criticisms have been, powerful as its influence in the senate and upon the war department is now admitted to be, the evidence which it has brought to light and the recommendations which it has formulated and impressed upon the senate would have been strengthened had it possessed a member as well qualified as Senator Johnson to cross-examine, weigh evidence and put it before the senate and the people in plain terms and orderly sequence. When it is recalled that Senators Gallinger of New Hampshire, Lodge of Massachusetts and Brandegee of Connecticut were among the Republican leaders who disregarded the rules of seniority and conscripted Hiram Johnson, one of the youngest senators in point of service and among the most radical in his political faith, it is possible to appreciate the sincerity of the coalition which has been achieved among Republican and Democratic senators who believe that the senate today is no place for cuckoos and the senate committee on military affairs the last place to which a senator should be assigned who is afraid to tell the American people the truth about the war.

The senate committee on military affairs, under the chairmanship of Chamberlain of Oregon, has a stronger influence at the other end of Pennsylvania avenue than any other committee of either house of congress, because its majority, made up of Democrats and Republicans, has compelled the war department to take the committee into its confidence and to make many changes which would not have otherwise been made. There is no partisan line-up in the committee today. On one side are senators and on the other cuckoos. The senators are Chamberlain of Oregon, Hitchcock of Nebraska, Thomas of Colorado, Reed of Missouri, McKellar of Tennessee, Democrats; and Weeks of Massachusetts, Wadsworth of New York, Sutherland of West Virginia, New of Indiana, Frelinghuysen of New Jersey and Johnson of California, Republicans. As the father-in-law of General Pershing, Senator Warren of Wyoming, although a Republican, has deemed it his duty to refrain from any activity on the committee which might displease the president or secretary of war and as he is serving his last year in the senate, having declined to be a candidate for re-election, his colleagues have acquiesced in his self-effacement. The real cuckoos are: Fletcher of Florida, who is under deep personal obligations to the president; Myers of Montana, Sheppard of Texas, Beckham of Kentucky and Kirby of Arkansas, one of "the willful twelve" who voted against war with Germany.

This minority opposes more or less unanimously any and all criticism of the war department or the making of any recommendations to the senate which have not been previously approved by the secretary of war. They no longer have any influence in the committee, however, and the contempt they have earned for themselves in the senate by their pusillanimous attitude minimizes their influence on the floor. When the history of the war is written, Chamberlain of Oregon and the senators who are standing with him in the common determination to speed up the conduct of the war and eliminate inefficiency will receive their reward, and they can well afford to await the verdict of history, as senators who neither fear the truth nor cater to its fear in others. In their company Hiram Johnson of California will feel at home.

**Bud Flivver's Observations**

\*\*\* I went to a Hooverized supper—The other night—At the Milky Way lodge—To raise money—For the Red Cross—

\*\*\* And nothing was—What it was called—And it tasted—Like everything—Should have been—Something else—

\*\*\* And when I—Went to bed—I felt like I had—Played a mean trick—On my stomach—And everything—

\*\*\* And I dreamed—I was in Washington—And I went—To the White House—To call on—President Wilson—

\*\*\* And I asked him—What was the congress—Good for anyhow—And he said—To impede the work—Of the government—

\*\*\* And I told Mr. Wilson—How I thought—The government—Ought to be run—And he thanked me—

\*\*\* And when I—Left the White House—I met the congressman—From this district—And he asked me to dinner—

\*\*\* And I thanked him—And told him—I had just had dinner—At the Milky Way lodge—And I wasn't hungry—

\*\*\* And he asked me—Wouldn't I like to—Go to the top—Of the Washington monument—And I would—

\*\*\* And when we got there—He took me up—in an elevator—And stopped just one station—This side of the moon—

\*\*\* And we looked—Out over the city—And across the country—And pretty near—Over to France—

\*\*\* And I stepped out—On a window ledge—So I could—Look straight down—At the base of the shaft—

\*\*\* And I got dizzy—And started to fall—And I caught—The top of the window—And hung there—

\*\*\* And the congressman—Didn't see me—And I hung there—And waited—For someone to come—And get me—

\*\*\* And Mrs. Flivver—Pulled the string—That turns on the light—And she slapped me—On the foot—

\*\*\* And I woke me up—

\*\*\* And I was standing—On the edge of the bed—Clinging to the top—Of the bedroom door—By Bud.

**OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE**

AND THEY ALL ADMITTED I HAD THE GOODS ON 'EM.  
ANOTHER TIME I WAS—

SIT DOWN THERE, JOHNSON, AND THINK UP JUST ONE STORY IN WHICH YOU ARE NOT THE HERO, AND IN WHICH YOU DO NOT FIGURE AS THE WISEST GINK THAT EVER CAME DOWN THIS PIKE!!!

GIVE ME A GOOD CIGAR.

**Lend Me Your Ears**  
By George Rex

The proof of the cigar is in the puffing.

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Can you knit? If not, why knit? If you can knit, why—knit!

Chickens lured by bright lights. Not a vice expose—merely the result of fooling fowls with electricity.

Speaking of things like that, a Los Angeles man writes in to say that his hens are so lazy they do nothing but lay around all day.

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With some of our local Beau Brummels every day is Loud Shirt Day.

A famous actor bought Shakespeare's favorite chair in London. Doubtless he will find his chair easier to fill than his shoes.

A boy on our street has a scrap book for famous pugilists.

Dogs are often detailed, but they cannot be re-tailed—though they are sometimes re-tailed.

Wouldn't it be nice if all lemons could be made into lemonade.

Careful there, boy!

Now for the great spring drive along the waste line.

Somewhere in Our Town

The smell of powder was strong in his scent.

Cried he: "It is war!" Then to battle he went.

The conquest was o'er; the maiden was his—

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FOR SALE—Good driving and orchard horse, buggy and harness. Fred Velle, 1 mile north Harper store, Fairview Ave.

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FOR SALE—2 doe kids cheap if taken soon. E. G. Snow, Westminster.

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FOR SALE—Set of new side curtains for Overland car, \$4.50. Wanted, setting of duck eggs. Phone Pacific 866. 114 E. 12th.

WANTED—Dakota or Nebraska land for Santa Ana improved property. Phone 548.

FOR SALE—One barrel home-made sauer kraut. Arcade Restaurant, 1019 E. 4th St.

WANTED—25 shares of water stock for run No. 1. 1521 N. Broadway.

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FOR RENT—3-room apartment, furnished up to date; cement cellar; close in; low rent. Inquire 616 So. Main.

LOST—Velvet handbag containing some money. Reward. Phone 694-R.

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NOTICE—This is National Bicycle Week. Come in and make your first payment on that wheel you have been thinking of buying for so long. F. M. Jones Sales Co., 219 W. Fourth.

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WANTED—Cheap second-hand ice box. Address H. Box 48.

FOR RENT—Neat and attractive house-keeping apartments, and sleeping rooms furnished. Bradley Apts., 4th and Broadway.

WANTED—Experienced ranch man for orange grove. Married man preferred or middle aged. Steady work, fair wages and comfortable cottage with water supplied. Give age, nationality and local references. Address "Rancher," G. Box 12, Register.

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WANTED—Married man on a ranch, \$75. Hay land, \$2.25. Woman cook. To sell Lady Washington beans. Palace Employment office.

WANTED—About June 15, \$4000 at 6 per cent on first-class real estate security. No commission. Phone 408-R2.

FOR SALE—Tires at reduced prices. We are closing out our mixed stock. Some very good bargains in Goodyear, Miller and Pisk. Gowdy Vulcanizing Works, 110 West 2nd St.

IF THE LADY of the house, or the daughter, have been wanting a new dress, suit or coat but felt that it cost too much, send them to Leipsic's right now, while the big, 10-day May sale is on. It's a great chance for them to save money.

FOR SALE—4-cylinder Stearns auto, electric starter and electric lights; equipped with new cord tires in rear. Home phone 602, Garden Grove.

FOR SALE—Furnished, modern bungalow, close in, fine district, \$2800. Terms, \$1600 cash, balance mortgage at 7 per cent. Shaw & Russell.

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PIANO TUNING by the old reliable piano tuner, H. W. Cozad. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone Cozad's store or residence, 492-R.

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LOST—About four canaries, one singer, dark yellow with black spots on head, others yellow and green and yellow mixed. Phone 1369.

WANTED—By an experienced man with 3 boys under draft age, job as foreman on ranch. Wife will cook for men. Write particulars. E. Box 22, Register.

GOOD ORCHARD MAN and farmer, small family, wants care of grove or ranch. A. M. Hoffpaur, Rutgers Apts., Santa Ana.



## SOCIETY

Mrs. Olive Lopez, Ed.

DOINGS OF CLUBS  
& PERSONALS

## ENDORSE W. C. T. U.

United Presbyterian Mission-  
ary Women Think Theater  
Closing Savings Act

The Woman's Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church met yesterday in the church parlors at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Steele Finley conducted the study, "Mission Milestones," while the ladies were busy knitting.

At noon the committee, composed of Mrs. Lea Warren, Mrs. E. H. Prince, Mrs. Frank Todd, Mrs. John MacFadden, Mrs. M. Tidball, Miss Sarah Gowdy and Mrs. Harper served a luncheon. The menu consisted of beef stew, carrots, scalloped potatoes, bismark, Red Cross salad, jelly, coffee, strawberry short cake with whipped cream.

The tables were decorated with beautiful sweet peas and Cecile Brunner roses. A number of gentlemen attended the luncheon.

At 2:30 the president, Mrs. J. G. Kennedy, called the society to order. Mrs. Burdick led the devotional service. Mrs. W. J. Lindsey and Mrs. W. H. Stevenson closed the devotions with a duet.

The treasurer gave the year's report which showed that \$342.64 had been received and paid out for missionary work.

Mrs. T. C. Eisele had charge of the mission study, "The African Trail," her subject being "The Bulu and God."

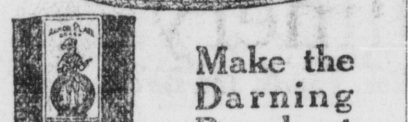
This was an interesting subject and treated principally on the superstitions of these people. A general discussion on the closing of the vaudeville and moving picture shows on Sunday evenings showed this society to be heartily in favor of the action of the W. C. T. U. and considers it a war savings activity.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. M. Smart, 714 North Main street.

Home Missionaries Meet  
The Young Women's Auxiliary of the First M. E. church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. J. B. Head, 710 East Sixth street. A pleasant and profitable afternoon was enjoyed.

The devotionals were led by Mrs. Lasby. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Head; vice-president, Mrs. Finif; recording secretary, Mrs. Roepke; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lasby; treasurer, Mrs. Metz; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Stearns.

Dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. D. W. Stearns, 831 E. street.

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**W. S. S.**  
The annual spring millinery sale at the Mode, 417 N. Main, is on. Hats of every description are included, and all are marked to sell at \$3.45 and \$4.95.

**W. S. S.**  
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## THE AVIATOR

Oh, he is brother to the bird and brother to the cloud,  
The stars have told him secrets and the wind has tried his skill.

From out the swirling mists which shield, the dark and night which shroud,  
He swoops—the eagle-warrior—to swiftly strike—and kill!

Not thunder peal or lightning flame can swerve him from the goal,  
And if Death be the gaudier—he laughs into Death's eyes.

For sky and sun and crystal air have entered in his soul,  
This fighter on strange battlefields—this sentinel of skies!

Below—the smoke and blood and stench; above, the highway free,  
Where Death is not a matter of shot or shell or thrust;

For him who spreads an eagle's wings for winged victory,  
Life goes out like a candle flame upon a sudden gust.

His is the romance of the war. His are exultant days!  
With foe and wind he throws the dice, and, be it gain or loss,

For us, for Liberty he flies—and knows the price he pays,  
One gallant, headlong, final flight—if Death has won the toss!

—(Faith Baldwin of The Vigilantes.)

W. S. S.  
MISSIONARY MEETINGPresbyterian President Guest  
Yesterday at First Presbyterian Church

The Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon in the Sunday school room.

Mrs. O'Rear of the Spurgeon Memorial Methodist Church was in charge of the devotionals, and brought a very helpful and impressive message on "Intercession." A short business meeting followed, during which it was decided to send at least five hundred carnations to Camp Kearny for Mothers' Day, which is next Sunday.

Mrs. Emmeline Peterson Lord favored the meeting with a beautiful solo, and afterwards led the gathering in singing "America."

The society was fortunate in having present the Presbyterian president, Mrs. R. W. Cleland of Los Angeles, who spoke very encouragingly of the work done during last year, and who urged a further advance for this year, telling of the many needs in missionary lines. She left with those three words for food thoughts, "Consecration, Co-operation and Urgency," hoping they would bring to her hearers the vision for greater service.

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Every hat on sale at the Mode Millinery is charmingly trimmed; it is the season's latest creation. Just think of buying such hats at \$3.45 and \$4.95.

**W. S. S.**  
Visitors to the Spurgeon building this morning for a time had the opportunity to climb the stairs to the various floors as the elevator did not run for a time while it was being inspected.

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H. L. Bisby, manager of the W. H. Spurgeon company, takes the precaution to have the elevator inspected often.

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## ALLIED DINING ROOM

Yesterday's Opening at Armory  
Netted Good Sum  
For Red Cross

Workers at the Red Cross Shop feel much gratification over the success that attended the opening of the new dining room yesterday. Over one hundred and eighty people were served with a bountiful chicken dinner by the luncheon committees, and \$37.75 was taken in. Out of this sum the carpenter's bill for the alterations that made the new dining room possible will be paid, and somewhere around \$50 will be left to turn over to the Red Cross.

Sixty members of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association luncheon at the Armory yesterday. The flags of the allied nations lent a patriotic note to the decorations, and quantities of palms, ferns and exquisite flowers were used. A service flag hangs in a prominent position, and on it there are thirteen stars, representing the husbands and sons of the women on the Shop and luncheon committees. Other stars will be added. Those represented are Howard Timmons, Homer Robinson, Bertram West, Jr., Martin Biggs, Adrian McCain, Otto Jacobs, Stanley Reinhaus, Harry and Frank Sproul, William and Carson Smart and W. Scovel.

Mrs. Fred Chapman and Ross McPhee furnished some very delightful music for the occasion.

**State Council Defense Meeting**  
The State Council of Defense will hold a two-day session of war council at Hotel Alexandria, Los Angeles, May 13 and 14, with Gov. William D. Stephens presiding.

The speakers will be Mr. George Britton Chandler, Prof. Guy S. Ford of the University of Minnesota, Dr. James A. B. Scherer and Lieut. Paul Perigord of the French army.

A mass meeting will be held Monday night at Trinity auditorium.

The woman's committee will have an hour on the program the first day of the war council. The subjects for discussion will be "The Children's Year," "The Organization of a Big City" and "Americanization."

On the second day of the war council the women's committee will conduct round tables at which time county problems will be discussed.

The women of Orange county are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

**Sunday School Picnic**  
The children of the Catholic Sunday school, with a goodly number of parents and teachers, are holding their annual picnic today at Orange County Park.

**Girls' Gymnasium Class**  
The girls' gymnasium classes of the Santa Ana High School will give an out-door demonstration of physical education work on the high school campus Friday morning, May 9, at 11 o'clock.

**Mrs. Irvine's Tea**  
Mrs. James Irvine, Jr., was hostess yesterday afternoon to a few of her friends, entertaining with a pleasant tea at her charming home on the San Joaquin ranch.

**Surgical Dressings Class**  
Mrs. M. K. Scott's surgical dressings class will meet tomorrow morning at 9:30.

**Intermediate P. T. A.**  
Last evening the P. T. A. of Intermediate school held its May meeting in the assembly room of their building. A small but interested audience listened to a pleasing vocal number by Mrs. Tom Willets, accompanied by Mrs. W. A. Patterson, and a violin solo by Anna Grace McElree accompanied on the piano by Beth Jordan.

The speaker of the evening, Miss Key Baughman, was then introduced. Miss Baughman is now supervisor of immigrant education in the city of Los Angeles and is no stranger in our own city, she having been associated with the Los Angeles Normal faculty in the past.

Her subject last evening was "Americanization," and she brought a real message to each and every one of her listeners, which gave her spell-bound attention. A short business session followed, during which most interesting reports of committees were listened to.

The nominating committee made the following recommendations for officers for the following year:

President—Mrs. J. Wm. Sackman.  
Vice-president—Mr. Simberg.  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. H. J. Roberts.

Treasurer—Mrs. Ray Dresser.

Owing to some misunderstanding as to some of the above named not having been duly interviewed, the committee was asked to report again at the June meeting.

The meeting adjourned to meet again June 12, at 3 p. m.

**W. S. S.**  
Every hat on sale at the Mode Millinery is charmingly trimmed; it is the season's latest creation. Just think of buying such hats at \$3.45 and \$4.95.

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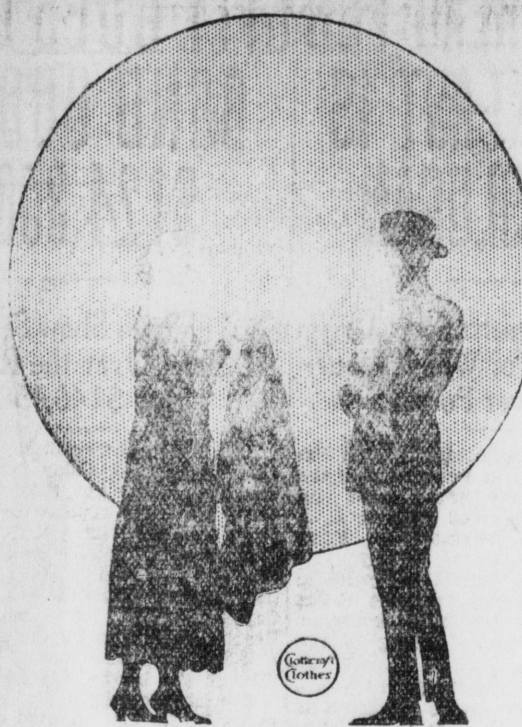
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Clothcraft  
Clothes

There are more men than women who buy their clothes on looks only.

If a man likes the cut or color of a garment he won't, as a rule, ask anything further about it. This gives the dishonest or careless merchant many a chance to "put something over."

Men ought to learn more about fabrics, linings, thread, buttons and sewing.

A number of our very good customers who have taken the trouble to inform themselves on clothing values, have examined carefully our Clothcraft line for men and young men, and their usual remark is this—"I don't see how you do it at the price, especially in these war times."

The Kind of Boys' Clothes  
Mothers Like

Mothers tell us that Oregon Cassimere Suits for boys are the finest values they ever saw. They are just that and more—they are the only real boys' suits. We have them for boys 6 to 18, at \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00.

## Wash Suits

Here are the well-known Kaynee wash suits in guaranteed fast colors. Some in plain colors; plenty of stripes. Made in the newest models for boys from 2 to 8 years.

Two special prices.  
\$1.39, \$1.65.  
Others to \$5.00.

Boys' Khaki Knickers  
For the Outdoor Boy.

A good, firm, well-made khaki pant that will stand lots of hard wear.  
Ages 6 to 17 years,  
\$1.50.

## Vandermaast &amp; Son

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Today being Ascension day, it will be observed with an appropriate service this evening at 8 p. m. at Trinity Lutheran church, Sixth street, east of Lacy street. Rev. E. J. Rudnick will preach. Masses in honor of the day were said at St. Joseph's Catholic church at 6 and 8:15 this morning.

Last Monday was "old shoe day" among the Polytechnic high school pupils, and more than 100 pairs were taken to school. These are to go to France on the relief ship Los Angeles. This week a French orphan drive was started to raise enough money to pay up on all orphans adopted by the school and if possible to adopt some more.

J. C. Metzger, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, has been absent from his post of duty since Tuesday. He hopes to be able to be at his desk again tomorrow.

Thomas Gordon House, corner of Lyon and Chestnut streets, has enlisted at the navy recruiting station in Los Angeles as an electrician radio.

City Trustee J. W. Tubbs, who was operated upon for appendicitis yesterday at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Los Angeles, is reported as making excellent progress. Mrs. J. W. Tubbs and Mrs. W. L. Tubbs are staying in Los Angeles at the home of Mrs. J. W. Tomblin.

In a letter received by Dr. H. S. Gordon from Dr. J. M. Burlew, who has been under the care of the Presbyterian hospital staff in Chicago, the Santa Ana physician states that he has successfully passed through a part of the operation necessary to restore him to health. A complete recovery is promised, and Dr. and Mrs. Burlew expect to return here, Dr. Burlew having taken up some special work with the famous Mayo brothers.

Mrs. Barnett has taken over the Bradley Apartments and will conduct it as a first-class rooming house. It has been renovated and refurnished.

Col. Nathan Ward Fitz-Gerald, orator and poet, is to deliver a lecture tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

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## AMUSEMENTS

Those who crave entertainment at the hands of Messrs. Kolb and Dill, noteworthy comedians of the Pacific Coast, may have their hunger gratified on next Sunday evening at the Grand Opera House, when Kolb and Dill return with "The High Cost of Living," from their extremely good season during the heavy blizzard period in Chicago, having accomplished the feat of running three months throughout Chicago's worst year in theatricals.



Sunday, May 12th Is  
**MOTHERS' DAY**  
The Largest and Best Selection of Mothers Day Cards  
At **Sam Stein's** of Course  
210 West Fourth.  
Send Her One—It'll Tickle Her.

**SENIOR CLASS  
PLAY SET FOR  
JUNE 18-19**

Schools Will Close June 23;  
Interesting Plans Made  
For H. S. Senior Week

Santa Ana schools will close this year on June 23 and between eighty and ninety students will graduate from the Polytechnic high school. Interesting plans are in progress for senior week, the high school play to be a successful feature.

The play, "Prunella," written by Lawrence Houseman and Granville Barker, will be presented June 18 and 19 by the senior class. The tryouts have been held, the best talent has been selected for the cast, and the play promises to be the best ever put on at Poly.

Miss Milfred Severance has been selected to play the leading feminine part, Prunella.

Orlyn Robertson will appear in the role of Pivrot, the leading male part of the play.

The other important parts will be taken by the following people:  
Katherine Owens ..... Prim  
Katherine Beswick ..... Prude  
Vera Hendrickson ..... Privacy  
Ralph Cole, Seannell, servant of Pivrot  
Charlton Waters, Tenor, hired singer  
Dorothy Hendrie ..... Coquette  
Margaret Lyons ..... Boy  
Donald Jerome ..... Boy  
William Taylor ..... 1st Gardner  
David Smiley ..... 2nd Gardner  
Mark Todd ..... 3rd Gardner  
John Cozad ..... Mouth  
Blossom Ward ..... Doll  
Orpha Holbrook ..... Romp  
Instead of leaving a monument of some kind to the school, the seniors this year will leave with their alma mater a Liberty bond.

**DRAFT CONTINGENT  
SENDS BEST WISHES**

Spud Morrison, the Leader,  
Writes of the Trip to  
Camp Lewis

Loftus Morrison, leader of the contingent of thirty-one drafted men who left here on April 26 for Camp Lewis, has written the Register that the men all arrived safely in camp. His letter reads:

"We arrived here about 2:30 Monday afternoon. We had a fine trip but were somewhat tired. All the boys surely enjoyed and appreciated everything which was done for them. We wish to thank the local board, W. C. T. U. and the public in general for all the useful things given us, as well as H.

**CORN BREAD FOR CITY GOES OVER  
BREAKFAST IS  
NEW SLOGAN**  
**BOND QUOTA  
\$124,350**

Food Administration Urges  
Substitute For Wheat Flour  
Whenever Possible

"Corn bread for breakfast until the end of the war," is a new slogan of the food administration, under new instructions just received by Mrs. A. J. Lawton, Woman Director of Food Conservation for Orange County.

The department urges everyone to substitute corn bread for white at the morning meal as a patriotic contribution to the successful ending of the war.

A strict economy in the use of wheat products will have to be practiced if this government is to fulfill the obligation imposed upon it and which is fully assumed, of maintaining to the full extent of its ability the strength of our fighting allies.

So far as it is possible there should be a substitution on all tables—of both the rich and the poor—in the public dining rooms of hotels and restaurants and in the homes of the people, of the food products of corn, oats, rye, barley and rice, in place of the products of wheat.

If there could be a complete substitution of corn and other cereal products for wheat bread on the breakfast table of the nation, it would increase our exportable surplus of wheat by one hundred and fifty million bushels. This would solve the immediate problem of furnishing additional supplies of wheat to the allies.

**WAR SAVINGS CLUBS  
TO PUSH SALE U. S.  
STAMPS AT ORANGE**

At an interesting meeting of Orange citizens last night, five precinct War Savings clubs were organized and each with a president, three vice presidents and a secretary will conduct the work of selling war savings and thrift stamps with the assistance of others as the officers may see fit.

The clubs were each named for some local man now in the military service and are as follows:

No. 1, Captain Hart club; No. 2, Henry Mehan club; No. 3, Dick Lush club; No. 4, Lieut. Grumm club; No. 5, Lieut. Slater club.

Addresses along the lines of war savings work were made by George L. Saunders and Attorney Frank L. Beutel of Los Angeles and county chairman, John A. McFadden of this city.

During the evening the school children pleased with a clever little musical program.

**AFTER THREE YEARS**

Many men and women are sick and don't know it. Some never discover they have kidney trouble until they apply for life insurance. The kidneys are working all the time, filtering poisonous waste out of the blood stream, and when they become weakened or deranged, backache, pains in sides and groins, so-called rheumatism, languidness, swollen joints and other symptoms develop. W. B. Moss, Ogden, Ark., writes: "Foley Kidney Pills relieved me of severe kidney troubles of three years standing. Rowley Drug Co.—Adv."

John Wesley Hancock, Optometrist, near P. O., holds record of highest grades ever made in California.

Final Figures Show Santa Ana  
District Over the Rolltop  
By \$146,150

R. L. Bisby, chairman of the Liberty Loan Committee, today gave out the final figures for the third loan drive here. No more reports for this campaign will be given out.

Santa Ana district went over the top to the amount of \$146,150, the district comprising Santa Ana, San Juan Capistrano, El Toro and Laguna Beach. The quota for the district was \$755,000 and the total announced through the banks was \$901,150.

The city's quota is \$717,500 and the over-subscription reported is \$124,350, total city subscriptions reaching \$841,850.

The totals from the various banks which handle the bonds are as follows:  
First National ..... \$464,850  
Farmers & Merchants ..... 217,450  
Orange County S. & T. .... 142,850  
California National ..... 76,000

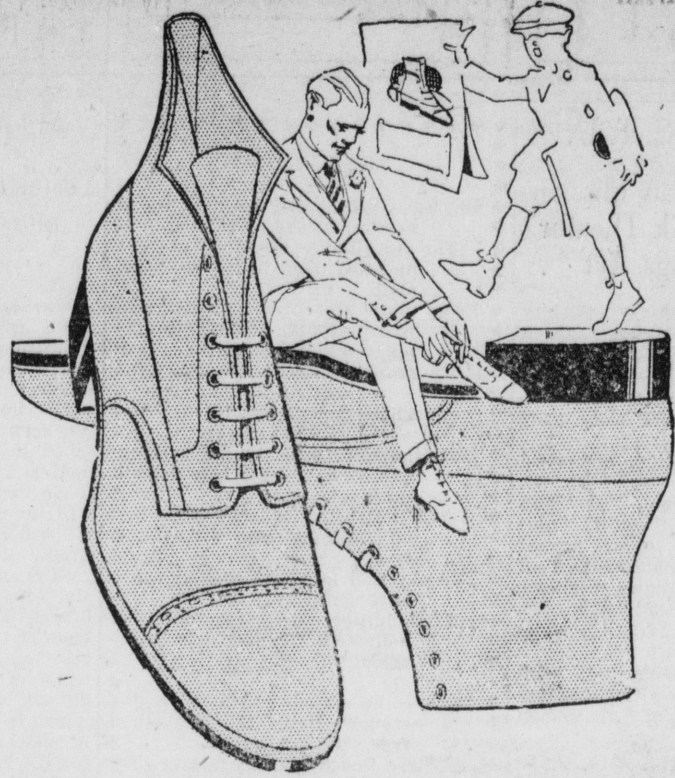
**PERSONAL AND SOCIAL  
NEWS NOTES FROM  
ORANGE CITY**

ORANGE, May 9.—The Concordia club rooms were packed when the Young People's Society of the club gave their entertainment. All the numbers on the program were very good. A dialogue, "The Passenger Train," was extremely amusing. A silver offering amounting to about \$64 was collected. At the close of the program Rev. N. F. Jensen made a few remarks in memory of the boys of the Lutheran church who are in the service of their country. This was followed by the audience singing "America."

At a meeting of the Federated Parent Teachers' Association, held in the sewing room of the Intermediate school the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Jennie Peffy; first vice president, Mrs. Ernest Smith; second vice president, Mrs. C. M. Donley; recording secretary, Mrs. Robert Johnson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. E. Lush; treasurer, Mrs. G. B. Walsworth. Reports of work done by the various Parent-Teacher associations were made and approved.

Another noon hour fire alarm wasted a lot more of H. Hoover's perfectly good grub yesterday. This time it was a thoughtless oil stove which exploded and rid itself of a large quantity of blue smoke. This called the fire truck to the scene and all the natives came in hot pursuit, leaving their plates half clean. The smoke was located at the home of J. C. McClelland at 138 South Shaffer street. The stove was located in the kitchen, which room was considerably blackened by the smoke. No other damage was done.

The O. D. O. Club spent a delightful afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm. Wagner. The rooms were prettily decorated with roses. Dainty refreshments were served late in the afternoon by the hostess. Guests of the club were Mrs. Fleetwood Bell and two daughters. The members present were Mrs. C. J. Porter, Mrs. James Meehan, Mrs. Wm. Waechter, Mrs. N. U. Potter, Mrs. W. Winterrowd and Mrs. J. McCarthy.



**Here's a Great Shoe, Men!**  
—It's the Nap-a-Tan, made by the Evans Shoe Co. of Napa, Calif. It is the regulation U. S. army shoe; made powerfully strong, with that trim, military appearance. For a limited time we will sell it at the special price of \$5.75.  
Sizes 5½ to 11—Widths B, C, D, E.  
**Peterson's Shoe Store**  
On Sycamore Street Just Off Fourth

**Millinery at ½ Off**  
On Friday and Saturday, May 10th and 11th, 1918, we will have our Annual One-Half Price Sale of Spring Millinery.  
**50 Trimmed Hats  
at One Half-Price**  
This is an excellent opportunity to purchase desirable Millinery at reduced prices.  
**O'Donnell Millinery**  
401 West Fourth St. Cor. Fourth and Birch.

**Let Me Explain  
how easy it is to make money  
in Palo Verde Valley  
AND ALSO  
let me tell you about a very attractive modern  
house at a very low price, cash or terms**  
**A. F. ISAACSON**  
203 W. H. Spurgeon Bldg.

**Economy Is the Vogue**  
One can dress simply and be in good taste these days, for it is the vogue to be economical. You can come here and make your dreams of new, pretty clothes come splendidly true, without great cost to you. Come to our ready-to-wear department. It is on the second floor. Elevator service.

**NEW ARRIVAL OF WAISTS**  
Of great interest this week is the arrival of a new line of beautiful Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine Waists.  
The New Georgettes come with the roll or shawl collar, heavily and tastily trimmed in lace. Prices \$5.95, \$6.50, \$6.95.  
Then we have the Heavy Crepe de Chine; a full line, both regular and large sizes. \$5.00 and \$5.50.  
New Lingerie Waists in pretty voiles, and laces. They are hand embroidered and lace trimmed, large sailor or rolling shawl collar. \$2.50 to \$5.00.  
Our feature is a special waist, pretty patterns and pretty materials, at \$1.25.

**NEW JERSEY DRESSES**  
We feature a new line of Jersey Dresses in all the leading shades, such as white, tan, sand, blue, and gray. These pretty models are pleated or plain, as you prefer; they are hand embroidered or beaded, and usually with lots of buttons. Prices are \$25.00 to \$27.50.  
**OTHER DRESSES**—Very pretty new dresses in plain and plaid materials—Ginghams and Poplins—we have priced them at \$6.50 to \$8.95.  
**Finer Materials**, such as Georgette Crepe, Khaki Kool, Taffetas and Satins, \$16.50 to \$29.50.

**THE NEW SPRING SKIRTS**  
Spring and Summer Skirts in white and dainty shades—washable skirts, if you want them, or the finer silks, satins and serges. We feature a heavy twill, non-shrinkable skirt.  
A splendid value at \$2 to \$3.50.  
Other Skirts from \$2 to \$9.50.

**CORSETS**  
We announce the arrival of advance models in Corsets and Brassieres.

**SEE OUR WINDOW**  
Display of children's hats. Just a few out of a good assortment, prices range from 50c to \$3.50. Beach hats 50c to 65c. Poke Bonnets, black and white Milans, banded or with streamers, droop brims, etc. Come in and be convinced that we have the hat you are looking for.

**NEW SUMMER SUITS**  
We have a special line of summer suits. Your attention is directed to a white serge, with double ripple jacket, finished with tailored braid; an elegant suit, elegantly tailored.  
**PRICE \$29.50.**

**Gilbert's INC**  
110 W. FOURTH ST.  
SANTA ANA, CALIF.

The Pacific Electric railway is starting the work of paving its crossing on West Chapman avenue, this improvement having been badly needed for some time. An electric crossing signal has also been installed at this crossing. Work on the new P. E. station is progressing steadily, the exterior coat of stucco now being applied.  
Miss Edith Coffman went to Los Angeles to meet her mother, Mrs. Alice Coffman, her two sisters, Alice and Ruby and her brother, Kenneth, who arrived in Los Angeles from Lincoln, Nebraska. They returned to Orange with Miss Coffman and will make their home here, having rented a house on East La Veta.  
Wilber Lentz, formerly circulation manager of the Daily News, has accepted a position with the Zellerbach Paper Co. of Los Angeles and left this afternoon to enter upon his new duties.

**Announcement**  
I have disposed of my dental practice to Dr. John H. Simpson, of Oakland, who has come here to locate permanently. Dr. Simpson comes to Santa Ana with the very highest recommendations as a citizen and professional man, and I take great pleasure in recommending him to my friends and patrons.  
DR. P. R. REYNOLDS.

**"THE BIG FIGHT"**  
Captain David Fallon's great book on the war. Capt. Fallon is the man who lectures for Chautauqua.  
**SANTA ANA BOOK STORE**  
104 - WEST - 4TH - ST -  
**BOOKS - STATIONERY - ENGRAVING**

**JUST AS PURE**  
as the summer sunshine, and the clover laden breeze sweeping over the meadows, is the cream and milk which you purchase of us. Everything is bright and clean, and sanitary about our creamery, and when we deliver the milk at your door there can be no doubt in your mind as to its absolute purity.  
**EXCELSIOR DAIRY CO.**  
First and Main.



SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 9, 1918.

## CITY RESPONDS HEARTILY TO APPEAL FOR DONATIONS

Many Contributions Made at C. of C. For Relief Ship to France

The Chamber of Commerce headquarters is beginning to assume the appearance of a warehouse as contributions for the relief ship continue to pour in. It is very gratifying indeed to those interested in the work to note the hearty response that is being made by the people of Santa Ana and Tustin to this call for help.

Many packages of food and clothing are left without names. The committee regrets that it is impossible to thank personally all who are giving towards making this city's contributions no small part of the ship's cargo. To others who may wish to help, it is suggested that cloth sacks and large wooden boxes for packing purposes will be gladly received. Everything must leave Santa Ana in a condition suitable for shipping. Those contributing clothing will greatly facilitate the work by sending it clean and in a wearable condition. The Junior Red Cross of Tustin has sent in four large boxes of clothing carefully packed and in a perfect state. Other donations received during the past three days are as follows:

Miss Grace Whited, cash; D. B. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith, 2 sacks of dried fruit; J. H. Edwards, sack each of walnuts and beans; J. H. Stewart, 1 sack of beans; T. H. Bowen, 2 sacks of dried prunes; Mrs. J. S. Runyan, clothing and dried fruit; G. L. Havens, shoes; Mrs. Geo. W. Minter, shoes; D. M. Peters, clothing; A. J. Perkins, clothing and hoe; Junior Red Cross, Tustin, 4 boxes clothing including 15 baby comforts; Mrs. Frances Martin, 1 sack beans; S. W. Stanley, Tustin, 1 sack lima beans; Ada May Sharpless, Tustin, clothing and coffee; Mrs. Flora M. Pyle, Westminster, dried fruit; Mrs. A. H. Lyon, 4 cans of milk; Mrs. E. V. S. Pomeroy, rice; W. H. DeMud, dried fruit; Leo Tiede, shoes; Mrs. Mary A. Gowdy, dried fruit; Louis Fournier, lima beans; J. William Sackman, dried fruit; L. F. Sheats, Tustin, clothing and flour; Mrs. Hannaford and Mrs. Reihl, Tustin, beans and rice; Mrs. J. W. Nelson and Mrs. J. C. Allison, clothing; Mrs. W. L. H. Wilton and Mrs. R. F. Hart, clothing and groceries; Mrs. W. W. Simon, canned milk; Mrs. G. G. Hubert, canned milk; Miss Dorothy Boyle, canned milk.

W. S. S. Fuller brushes, Mrs. Cheney, 1255 W.

## QUEEN OF MAY



You must wake and call me early, call me early, Kaiser dear,  
 For tomorrow will be like today for many a long, long year,  
 For many a long, long year, Kaiser, you'll not forget my sway,  
 For I am your Queen of the May, Kaiser, I am your Queen of the May.  
 (EDMUND VANCE COOKE.)

### NOTICE

Ranchers and growers should take the first opportunity to see the new Fageol Tractor, just arrived at the A. F. Smith Auto Co., 117 E. Fifth St. The Fageol Tractor, like the Fageol Truck, is astonishing its users by its performance and its high quality construction. See the Fageol now at Smith's.

W. S. S. Your garment will always drape properly if frequently cleaned and pressed by The Sutorium. Call 279.

## NEW SCOUT PLANES MAKE 120 TO 150 MILES PER HOUR

### Son of Local Man Writes of Experiences In Royal Flying Corps

The new ally scout airplanes make 120 to 150 miles an hour and "you can do anything with them," according to Fred Spaulding in a letter to his father, E. A. Spaulding of Harper, who maintains a real estate office in the W. H. Spurgeon building. The young man is a graduate of the University of Arizona and Oxford, and a Rhodes scholarship man. He visited Mr. Spaulding here a year ago and at that time delivered a lecture in the First Methodist church.

Spaulding was formerly with the British army in France as an ambulance driver, and is now a member of the Royal Aviation Corps. The letter, dated March 5, was written at the R. F. C. base depot in Egypt, where he was taking training for aeroplane warfare.

"This outdoor life is agreeing with me thoroughly," the aviator writes, "and flying, too, is getting to be a great pleasure. I graduated as a flying officer before I went on a four days' leave recently when I visited Cairo and Alexandria, but I have to do a few more stunts before I go to a school of gunnery or artillery observation. I must take 12 or 18 photographs from the air at a height of 6,000 feet and get the object desired exactly in the center of the plate. The camera is fixed to the body of the aeroplane and there is a perpendicular sight to look through, but it is not so easy to fly exactly over a point when you are up so high, especially if there is a wind or if the machine is a little lopsided. It must be perfectly level when the photo is taken or part of the plate will be out of focus."

"Then I have to practice bomb dropping, carry a passenger and fly in formation. It shouldn't take more than four days to finish those things, but the weather is very windy again and flying stopped about 9 o'clock this morning."

"Yesterday I was booked for formation but my engine gave out just after I left the ground, so I got left out. By the time the mechanics came out and got it going again the rest of the formation was miles away. In formation you have to take up certain positions in reference to a leading 'bus.' I was to be 100 feet above, to the right, and behind another machine in a corresponding place on the left, etc. It usually takes the form of a V. It takes a little practice for it is not easy to manipulate a machine so near to another and keep it there when speeding along at 70 to 75 miles an hour."

"I don't know what machine I will be on next; it will be either a scout or an artillery machine. I hope it is the former, because I would rather

fly alone and the scouts do from 120 to 150 miles per hour now and you can do anything with them. One has to be especially recommended for scouts. I have been once, but I did so well in artillery ranging that I'm afraid they are going to stick me on that. I got my ranging satisfactory both times I tried, while nearly everyone has four goes to get one right."

### LUMBERMEN TO HAVE PICNIC AT THE PARK

Lumber dealers of Orange county have selected the Orange County Park as the scene of their annual picnic, and next Saturday dealers and their families and employees and their families will journey from all sections of the southland to the county's fine big public playground, there to participate in the festivities and day of sport as arranged by the dealers of this county.

The visitors will be the guests of the local lumbermen and nothing is being left undone that will tend to make the day one that will be enjoyed by all. A big basket dinner will be one of the features of the picnic.

Lumber yards and mills throughout Southern California will be closed for the day.

W. S. S.

### STAMP CHAIRMEN WILL MEET SATURDAY IN L. A.

G. A. Davidson, chairman of the Southern California war savings committee, has called a meeting of county and city chairmen for next Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Alexandria in Los Angeles.

Perry Weidner and Mrs. Germa, who attended the conference of state chairmen in Omaha, will be in attendance, and will report the result of the conference.

New plans for increasing the sale of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates have been developed and the meeting of Saturday is for the purpose of advising the chairmen of these plans.

### SANTA FE EXTENSION BLOCKED BY THE P. E.

FULLERTON, May 9.—In these days of government control of railroads, even, there is trouble, more or less, between the public carriers of freight and passengers.

The Pacific Electric Railway Company started to build from Laon Junction across the great Bastanchury ranch to Fullerton early last summer. About that same time the Santa Fe company started the construction of what is known as the Bastanchury branch of its line from a point about three miles west of Fullerton station across the Bastanchury lands to the new large packing house of the Bastanchury Ranch Company.

But the Pacific Electric was too speedy for the Santa Fe and had its road constructed first; then when the Santa Fe came along it was not allowed to cross the Pacific Electric tracks.

This predicament forced the steam company to appeal to the board of State Railroad Commissioners, which it did. The commissioners have set Thurs-

## COAT SALE A Great Sacrifice CUT THE PRICES TO THE CORE

AN ABSOLUTE CLEARANCE AT TREMENDOUS REDUCTIONS—We have decided to clear out our store of every spring coat—to do this we have

TOMORROW and as long as they last choose from our large stocks.

All \$10.00 Coats, the new styles, go for ..... \$6.95

All \$15.00 Coats, classy models, go for ..... \$9.95

All \$25.00 Coats, this season's best, go for ..... \$14.75

All \$30.00 Coats, the choice of the store ..... \$21.50

SPECIAL OFFERINGS ON NEW SILK DRESSES. See the \$22.50 Dresses on sale at ..... \$13.95

IF YOU NEED A WAIST—We are repricing our crepe de chine waists, formerly \$5.00 ..... \$3.50



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I beg to say Nujol is a wonderful product. I have quite a number of patients now using it, and all are pleased with it. You very kindly sent, at my suggestion, samples to several of my patients. So far as I know they are all now consumers of Nujol. One in particular had chronic appendicitis; now apparently relieved.

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Truly yours,  
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Regular as Clockwork



A SCORE or more of serious diseases and conditions begin with constipation! Therefore, keep your bowels clear, and protect yourself from the danger of a host of bodily ailments. Use Nujol to promote regular bowel habits, without the least harm to the system. Use Nujol because it is a drug-free remedy, positively safe for all, from infancy to old age.

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There's no surer way of providing for the ones you love than banking your cash.

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Cash in bank gives him a new grip on life.

Deposit your surplus cash now. Don't waste it. Don't delay.

You'll be surprised to see how an account grows.

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Sunset 71.

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# 56 SANTA ANA Y. M. C. A. BOYS PASS BIBLE STUDY EXES: MAY BRING TROPHY TO THIS CITY

Fifty-six Santa Ana members of the Orange County Y. M. C. A. have passed the International Bible study examinations, setting a record that it is believed will bring to this city the Dan McDonald International Bible study cup this year. The Orange boys annexed the cup last year and set this county up as the best in the world with a total of 40 boys who passed the Bible study test.

A total of 220 boys participated in the recent examinations given under the direction of County Secretary R. G. Cole, more than double the number taking the test last year, and of this number 175 attained a passing grade. The names of participants and the grades they have been awarded, are as follows:

**Santa Ana**  
Kenneth Coulson, 71; Knox H. Finley, 74; Malcolm H. Finley, 66; W. A. Jones, 92; George McClelland, 89; Samuel Millen, 68; Phillip Mitchell, 100; Richard Pease, 82; Ralph Raitt, 82; Willie H. Rash, 76; Stewart S. Taylor, 78; Guy Wicks, 91; Frank Wilson, 87; George Wilson, 80; Ralph Barker, 70;

**Garden Grove**  
Helmer H. Anderson, 73; Harry Jewell, 70; Charles Lake, 87; Tevis Westgate, 71; Mark Withrow, 65.

**Wintersburg**  
Russell Alford, 87; Leonard Cady,

## HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES IF YOUR BACK ACHES

Do you feel tired and "worn-out"? Are you nervous and irritable? Don't sleep well at night? Have a "dragged out" unrested feeling when you get up in the morning? Dizzy spells? Bilious? Bad taste in the mouth, backache, pain or soreness in the loins, and abdomen? Severe distress when urinating, blood in cloudy urine or sediment? All these indicate gravel or stone in the bladder, or that the poisonous microbes, which always in your system, have attacked your kidneys.

You should use GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules immediately. The oil soaks gently into the walls and lining of the kidneys, and the little poisonous animal germs, which are causing the inflammation, are immediately attacked and chased out of your system without inconvenience or pain.

Do not delay a minute. Go to your drugist and insist on his supplying you with a box of GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. In 24 hours you will feel renewed health and vigor. After you have cured yourself, continue to take one or two capsules each day so as to keep in first-class condition, and ward off the danger of future attacks. Money refunded if they do not help you. Ask for the original imported GOLD MEDAL brand, and thus be sure of getting the genuine.

—Adv.

## THE MARKETS

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS	
NEW YORK MARKET	
NEW YORK, May 8.—Twenty-two cars sold. Market easier on Valencia, other varieties strong. Weather fair.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Carmenita, No. 8	\$5.90
Anna, Sup., No. 8	7.50
Mitchell, Col.	5.30
Add to Tuesday's sale. A total of twenty-three cars sold.	
SWEETS—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
BOSTON MARKET	
BOSTON, May 8.—Twelve cars sold. Market doing better on oranges, unchanged on lemons.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Carmenita, No. 8	\$5.90
Anna, Sup., No. 8	7.50
Mitchell, Col.	5.30
Add to Tuesday's sale. A total of twenty-three cars sold.	
SWEETS—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
CLEVELAND MARKET	
CLEVELAND, May 8.—Four cars sold. Market is higher on oranges, unchanged on lemons account quality and condition.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
ST. LOUIS MARKET	
ST. LOUIS, May 8.—Seven cars sold. Market steady on both oranges and lemons.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
PITTSBURGH MARKET	
PITTSBURGH, May 8.—Eight cars sold. Market doing better on both oranges and lemons.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
PHILADELPHIA MARKET	
PHILADELPHIA, May 8.—Four cars sold. Market is very dull.	
VALENCIA—	Avg.
Old Mission, CCC	\$5.00
LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET	
The rice situation is still complicated as to the importation of oriental rice. The difference in opinion between the national food commission and the war board, which was supposed to have been settled last month, still exists, apparently. The argument is over tonnage of ships from the Orient and also on railroad matters. The food commission is anxious to better cereal prices by the importation of oriental rice, while the war board thinks the cargo space could be used for purposes more important than the importation of a locally-grown product.	

**WALL PAPER AND PAINT**  
SANTA ANA PAINT STORE, 312 West Fourth—Wall paper, glass, artists' materials, agricultural chemicals, etc. Pacific 1133; Home 38.

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AUTO TIRES REPAIRED—Goodyear service station. Hoosier Vulcanizing Works, 118-120 West Third. Pacific 187.

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**HAM'S AUTO REPAIR SHOP**, 316 West Fifth St.—Expert Ford repair. Luan. Pacific 754-W.

**Autos and Implements**  
WM. F. LUTZ & CO., 219-221 E. Fourth St.—Studebaker autos and implements, auto tops, harness, etc. Both Phones 10.

**DAVIS GARAGE**, 200 N. Main St.—Chandler and Oakland cars. Auto repairing, supplies, etc. Both Phones 34.

## The Register's Business and Professional Directory

**Auto Electric Work**  
ORANGE COUNTY IGNITION WORKS—Fifth and Spurgeon Sts. Willard Storage Batteries. Pacific 639; Home 6221.

**Transfer**  
RAMSEY TRANSFER, 508 East Fourth St.—Long hauls. Transfer. Long and short hauls. Pacific 66; Home 366.

**Auto Wreckers, Junk Dealers**  
AUTO WRECKERS & JUNK DEALERS—419 E. Fourth St. Phone Pacific 138.

**Bicycles**  
POST CYCLERY—New and second-hand bicycles. Sundries, tires, and repairs. Quick service. 306 West Fourth. Pacific 152.

**Machine Shops**  
SANTA ANA MACHINE WORKS—Discs sharpened. Steam and gas engines repaired. First and Sycamore St. Pac. 165.

**Auto Supply Station**  
EAST SIDE SUPPLY STATION, Geo. Ketscher, Prop., 1945 E. Fourth St. Gasoline, oils, tires, etc. Pacific 710-W.

**Nurseries**  
KETSCHER'S NURSERY, 1945 E. Fourth St.—Walnut, orange, lemon and ornamental trees; rose bushes and vines. Pacific 710-W.

## BLOODY SLOPES STORMED BY HUNS!



The blood-soaked Messines Ridge, shown above, has just been recaptured by the Boches at a tremendous cost in German dead. It's not a "high hill"—nothing like as high as the hills in rolling middle western United States. But the rest of the Flanders region is flat like a floor, and this ridge thus commands the surrounding country. The ground goes up on a gentle slope and on top, in the center of the ridge, is a crater—the scene of the great mine blast which started the British offensive last June, when General Plumer's men wrested the ridge from the Germans, captured 7000 prisoners and piled up a German casualty list of 30,000. The British had tunneled under the ridge and planted the explosives. In that offensive the British attackers' losses were light. In the present offensive the German losses have been tremendous and the British defenders' losses comparatively light. This picture was taken after the British had wrested the ridge from the Germans. Two British soldiers are doing lookout duty, and making silhouette targets of themselves. Just below the soldiers is a German stone dugout, left by Hindenburg. In the left foreground is what is left of a dugout after shelling.

96; John Clemens, 87; Frank Draper, 92; Paul Prenger, 92; John Murdy, 89; Paul Vandrouff, 65.

**Westminster**  
Glenn A. Byram, 94; Wilbur P. Byram, 82; Ben Edwards, 86; William Kerr, 76; Charles Price, 72; Dudley Smith, 90; Irvine Thompson, 89.

**Orange**  
Kemper Anderson, 84; David Blank, 79; Russell Bolinger, 98; Kenneth Chandler, 66; Willie Christensen, 67; Marion Drumm, 84; Erwin Eisenbraun, 85; Harold Foster, 85; Jim Fuller, 80; Neil Granger, 90; Fred Hobbs, 81; Lloyd Hollister, 87; Frederick Johnson, 81; Rex McGill, 90; Chas. Parker, 93; Milo Porter, 79; Lyle Richards, 71; Frank Shwalter, 78; Willard Smith, 72; Roney Sweet, 75; Terrell Vivian, 65; George Wayne, 84; Hale Winterwood, 71; Clifford L. Blanchard, 100; Harold Blanchard, 98; Stephen Michael, 98; Paul Read, 98; C. Homer Anderson, 84; Bronson Barber, 73; Kenneth Claypool, 72; Raymond Gilton, 100; Norval Moore, 91; Lawrence Phillips, 75; Ernest Rydberg, 73; Clarence Smith, 65; Lawrence Smith, 74; Richard E. Sweet, 82.

**Anaheim**  
M. E. Beebe, 94; Robert H. Easton, 69; Jenneth P. Goodale, 80; George M. Ross, 81; Jack Abbott, 73; Irving Quanton, 65; Harold Oelke, 78; Fred H. Witman, 91.

**Fullerton**  
Raymond Annin, 92; Ivan Brownfield, 80; Wilbur Cooper, 85; Raymond Earle, 86; Merrill Gregory, 80; Eddie Hill, 87; Howard Holmes, 83; Raymond McClune, 65; Gilbert McDermott, 99; Robert R. McGill, 94; H. McLeod, 88; Arlington Rhynalds, 100; Dwight Roberts, 86; Harold Williamson, 97.

**Brea**  
Benjamin Blanchard, 91; Walter Bruce, 96; Lawrence D. Buchanan, 78; Clayton Burton, 75; Floyd Casner, 82; Lawrence Casner, 96; Ernest Everett, 94; Sargent Gray, 96; Robert Johnson, 78; Ralph D. Kinsey, 84; Billy Lester, 71; Clinton Mickey, 95; Raymond Morris, 94; Brinkley Reese, 93; Waldo Wheeler, 97.

**La Habra**  
Cecil Arthur Allen, 92; James A. Balcom, 94; Joe Balcom, 78; Eugene Barrett, 88; Frank L. Bradford, 72; Edmond Canfield, 74; Merritt Canfield, 85; Merle Dunbar, 86; Alex Fader, Jr., 86; Edward Gill, 86; Robert Hersey, 70; Edgar Herman, 93; Fred Herman, 88; Glenn Hill, 73; Richard Lester, 70; Elmer McCallister, 80; Edward McDaniel, 83; Ed Middleton, 89; Howard E. Noble, 99; Ralph Phillips, 97; Donald Redfern, 65; Clayborne Swift, 93; Lester Swift, 80; Frankie Walker, 90; Price Walker, 68; Cyrus Young, 78.

**W.S.S.**  
**THREE LOCAL GIRLS ARE NURSE GRADUATES**

At least three young ladies known in Orange county received their diplomas last night from the nurses' training school of the Angelus Hospital, Los Angeles, the graduation exercises being held at the Ebell club-house. Included in the list of graduates are Louis M. Ranney, formerly of 502 South Parton street, Santa Ana, and the Misses Eunice May Brumgim and Ora Ella Ables of the Garden Grove district, who formerly were students at the Anaheim high school.

**W.S.S.**  
**CUT THIS OUT—IT IS WORTH MONEY**

—DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2335 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back; rheumatism, backache, kidney and bladder ailments; and Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic, for constipation, biliousness, headache and sluggish bowels. Rowley Drug Co.—Adv.

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## WATER CONSERVATION BOARD GETS LEASE ON 240 ACRES

This Gives 3,000 Acres Upon Which Storm Stream Can Be Spread

A lease has been placed of record from George D. Richey et al to the Water Conservation Association, covering 240 acres of land on the debris cone at the mouth of the Santa Ana river, adjoining the lands already controlled by this Association. This land lies northerly and at a higher elevation than the other lands of the association.

For this reason it is particularly valuable for the conservation and spreading of storm water.

The lease is for a period of 10 years and it is the intention of the Water Conservation Association to extend its conservation works onto this land and sink into it an increased amount of water from the Santa Ana river for the purpose of replenishing the San Bernardino basin and other streams having their origin in the San Bernardino valley.

The association now controls over 3000 acres of land in this locality, used for the purpose of conserving storm and flood water.

**W.S.S.**  
**WINTERSBURG**

## JASPER STOCKTON IS ILL AT WINTERSBURG

WINTERSBURG, May 9.—Jasper Stockton was taken quite ill at the home of his brother, T. J. Stockton, Monday night and was for a time considered in a serious condition. He still remains under the doctor's care and is improving. Stockton came from Irvine about a week ago, where he has been at the home of his sister.

**Picnic at County Park**  
A pleasant picnic was enjoyed by a party who motored to Orange County Park for the day last Sunday. Those in the crowd were Mr. and Mrs. Pryor and family, Mrs. T. J. Stockton, Miss Eunice Stockton, Everett Stockton, Miss Gertrude Stockton of Wintersburg, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lamb and little girls of Talbert, Mr. and Mrs. Wettlin of Orange and Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Pryor of Tustin.

**Visit Hemet, San Jacinto**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Maddux and family, Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Brabury and family made the trip to San Jacinto and Hemet on Sunday. One hundred and fifty men were employed there last week and still the work of clearing away the wreckage has not begun. The fortieth shock since the one that did the damage, was felt Saturday night at 7 o'clock, the party was told.

**Queen Esther's Meet**  
The regular meeting of the Queen Esther society of the Methodist church was held at Mrs. A. H. Moore's Tuesday evening with almost all the members present. Mrs. H. O. Ensign and Miss Cleo Ulrich had prepared the program for the evening and some interesting facts were brought out by different members in the discussion of the topic, "Esquimos," in connection with the subject, "Alaska," now being taken up by the society.

**Wintersburg Notes**  
Mr. and Mrs. Stockenberg and son Harold of Long Beach were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gothard. Earl Pryor arrived Friday from Camp Kearny and visited with his parents and other relatives until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan of this place and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hare of Westminster motored to Orange Monday evening to attend an initiation at the Ruby Rebekah lodge of that place. Miss Nora Keseman, formerly of Wintersburg and Miss Josephine

Kaelin, formerly of Westminster, were the new members.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards and daughter, Miss Viola, of Los Angeles, were Friday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gothard.

Everett Stockton, Miss Eunice Stockton and a friend, Mrs. Mahoney of Santa Ana, went to Camp Kearny and San Diego Wednesday of last week, returning on Friday. Mrs. Mahoney's husband is at Camp Kearny and the party visited with him a part of the time.

John Cady reached home from Brawley Sunday and remained with his family until Tuesday.

Among those attending the chicken supper given by the Westminster Red Cross society at the L. O. O. F. hall at that place, from here, were: Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Dimock, Mr. and Mrs. George McGurk and baby, John Murdy, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Alford and son Russell, Mrs. R. L. Draper, son Frank, daughters Bessie and Flossie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sork, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pyle, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sprinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kettler.

**W.S.S.**  
**NOTICE**

Ranchers and growers should take the first opportunity to see the new Fageol Tractor, just arrived at the A. F. Smith Auto Co., 117 E. Fifth St. The Fageol Tractor, like the Fageol Truck, is astonishing its users by its performance and its high quality construction. See the Fageol now at Smith's.

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

WHEREAS, Nell O. Johnson and Guy H. Johnson by a deed of trust dated July 9, 1914, recorded in Book 232, Page 286, of Deeds, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Orange, California, did grant and convey the premises therein and hereinafter described to the TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, as trustee, to secure, among other things, the payment of one promissory note, dated July 9, 1914, made by the said Nell O. Johnson and Guy H. Johnson, for the sum of \$500.00, payable two years after its date to the said Walter R. Kingman, with interest from its date until paid, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, payable quarterly, or compounded; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said promissory note in this that the principal sum of said note was not paid when due; that said principal sum and interest thereon from April 9, 1918, is owing and unpaid; and that the said principal sum and interest thereon may be declared the debt of the principal and interest thereof immediately due and payable and require the said trustee to sell the property thereby granted; and

WHEREAS, the said Walter R. Kingman has declared that default has been made as aforesaid and has declared the whole of said principal sum and interest now due and payable, and has demanded that the trustee, under the provisions of said deed of trust, do and perform the objects of the trust therein expressed;

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the undersigned by virtue of the authority in it vested, as trustee to sell public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in full satisfaction of the said deed of trust, the premises therein and hereinafter described, to-wit: Lot 34 in Block 18, of the "Resubdivision of Section One (1) of Balboa Island," as per Map thereof recorded in Book 6, Page 50, Miscellaneous Records of said County. Subject to all reservation and exceptions contained in Deed from Newport Land Company, a corporation, to Nell O. Johnson and Guy H. Johnson, dated August 8, 1912, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

To-wit: the sum of \$500.00, and the interest thereon from the 9th day of April, 1918, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, compounded quarterly, sums, if any advanced under the provisions of said Deed of Trust, the expenses of said sale; and the expenses of said trust in the sum of \$75.00. Subject to all reservation and exceptions contained in Deed from Newport Land Company, a corporation, to Nell O. Johnson and Guy H. Johnson, dated August 8, 1912, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

Dated, April 23, 1918.  
(Seal) T. O. S. H. A. L. L. T. A. J. TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE.

By O. P. BRANT, Vice-President,  
By O. P. CLARK, Secretary.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION OF TIME OF PROVING WILL, ETC.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of Penrose C. Dietrich, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that Friday, the 10th day of May, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of this Court in Department 1 thereof, in the City of Santa Ana, County of Orange, State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of E. C. Dietrich, praying that a document now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, be admitted to probate, that Letters Testamentary be issued thereon to E. C. Dietrich, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same. Dated April 29th, 1918.  
N. T. EDWARDS, County Clerk.

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## Register Result Getters

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A fine grocery store and residence property in Santa Ana for sale cheap. A snap for some one.

A store building 22 x 40, and five room modern cottage, lot 100x150 ft., set to fine full bearing fruit. Price \$4500; mortgage \$2000. Want chicken ranch. What have you?

Three 4-room modern cottages, with oak floors, set tubs, electric lights and gas, all on one lot, close to car line in Los Angeles. Price \$5500; mortgage \$2500; and 10 acres at Santa Ana, with 6 room cottage, large barn, good garage, water stocked, some fruit. Price \$9000; mortgage \$2800. Want something here or Hemet.

Notary, Insurance, Loans, Rentals.  
**WELLS & WARNER,**  
Notary—Insurance,  
Both Phones.

## For Sale—City Property

FOR SALE—1/2 acre lot, 50 feet to Los Angeles, all city conveniences. Cheap, and easy terms. Phone 827-J.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For vacant lot, 6-room, modern cottage, garage, fruit trees. 464-J, evenings.

FOR SALE—Modern bungalow and good garage. Price \$2000. Terms, \$200 cash, bal. \$20 per month, including interest. P. S. McClain, 520 E. 4th St.

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## Lost and Found

STRAYED—2 dark brown mules, 1 horse, 1 mare, each ten, weight 1150 each, from ranch S. W. cor. city limits. Haven Feed Co., 27-34, Tustin. Home phone Tustin 973. Santa Ana 512-J.

LOST—Cord tire 34x4 with rim and tire carrier from Chandler car between Holsa and Anaheim. Return to Register office. Reward.

LOST—Two tan gamut gloves. Phone 23 both phones.

## Business Notices

LADIES' expert corset service, 200 models. Select your individual model. New-bone corsetiere, Miss Birdseye. Phone 868, 114 E. 12th.

HAZARD & MILLER  
Pioneer Patent Agency. Established 1878. H. Miller 8 yrs. Examiner in U. S. Patent office. Hazard's office on Patents. Free. Los Angeles. Central Building, 6th and Main Sts.

NOTICE INVITING BIDS  
Notice is given by the undersigned, that the city of Santa Ana offers for sale, and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, gold coins of the United States, for not less than their par value and accrued interest to the date of delivery. The bonds of the city of Santa Ana as follows:

1. Bonds of \$2,000.00, for the construction of a bridge in the city of Santa Ana, Orange County, California.

2. Bonds of \$1,000.00 and 35 of which in the denomination of \$100.00, aggregating a total issue of \$25,000.00, for the construction of a bridge in the city of Santa Ana, Orange County, California.

35 bonds, numbered from 1 to 35, inclusive, each of which bonds are in the denomination of \$250.00, aggregating a total issue of \$8,750.00, for the construction of a bridge in the city of Santa Ana, Orange County, California.

These bonds are all dated May 1st, 1918, bear interest at 5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually; two of the above mentioned 70 bonds and one of the above mentioned 35 bonds are the payable cash at the office of the Treasurer of the city of Santa Ana, in said city; both principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States.

The city of Santa Ana invites sealed proposals or bids for these bonds and will receive said proposals or bids up to the hour of 7:30 o'clock P. M. of Monday, May 6th, 1918, at which time said bids will be opened, and said bonds awarded to the highest bidder, who will be required to enclose with his bid a check, certified by a responsible bank in a sum not less than 2 per cent of the amount bid to insure good faith. The certified abstracts of proceedings leading up to the issuance of these bonds will be furnished to the successful bidder.

The city of Santa Ana reserves the right to reject any and all bids for these bonds. The certified checks of all unsuccessful bidders will be immediately returned.

Dated April 30th, 1918.  
E. L. VEGELEY,  
Clerk of the City of Santa Ana.

NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SANTA ANA SUGAR COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the SANTA ANA SUGAR COMPANY will be held at the office of the undersigned, at the business of the Company at the factory of the Company situated at Dyer, Orange County, California, on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1918, at 10 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of directors for the ensuing year and for the purpose of amending the articles of incorporation of the Company as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated May 6th, 1918.  
W. B. PINNEY, Secretary.

BIDS FOR HAY  
Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the City of Santa Ana, Cal., for furnishing the City of Santa Ana with 60 to 100 Tons of Baled Hay and Alfalfa Hay, to be received up to 5 o'clock P. M., May 20th, 1918.

E. L. VEGELEY, City Clerk.  
Dated May 2d, 1918.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY ORDER FOR SALE OF REAL ESTATE SHOULD NOT BE MADE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Orange.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Jane Gammler, an incompetent person.

It is ordered by the Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said incompetent person appear before the said Superior Court on Friday, the 24 day of May, 1918, at 10 o'clock P. M., in said Court in the County of Orange, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be made appointing the undersigned guardian of the estate of said incompetent person as may be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the Santa Ana Daily Register, a newspaper printed and published in said County of Orange.

W. H. THOMAS,  
Judge of the Superior Court.  
Dated April 24, 1918.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Lena Mangold, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Lena Mangold, deceased, to the creditors of said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice (which publication was first made on the 11th day of April, 1918), to the said Administrator of the Estate of Lena Mangold, deceased, at the office of A. E. Koepsel in the Court House in Santa Ana in the County of Orange.

Dated this 10th day of May, A. D. 1918.  
JOHN BOOSE.

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



## Register Result Getters

### FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

25 1-3 acres, 1 1/2 acres in 5 year old lemons, balance 5 year old Valencia, fully water stocked, good house, barn, fine location. A big bargain. You had better see this at once.

10 acres in Tustin, 3 in full bearing walnuts, balance in fine Valencia oranges. Good 8 room house, water stocked, on boulevard, in fact, if you want a good place you can't beat it for \$25,000. Come in and let us show it to you.

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HARPER  
OIL DRILLING TO  
START IN FEW  
DAYS

Standard Rig on Irvine Ranch  
Nearly Complete; Large  
Mesa Bean Acreage

HARPER, May 9.—The oil well rig of the Standard Oil Company on the Irvine ranch, together with the necessary outbuildings are nearly completed and operations will start in a few days. We are indeed fortunate to have such a reliable company in the field, the small lessee thus being assured of a square deal.

**Oil Man Will Speak**  
The next meeting of the Fairview Farmers' Association will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Folsom next Tuesday evening. F. C. Nole of the General Petroleum Company will be in attendance, he having leased some acreage along Fairview avenue, will explain something about the oil business.

**Increase Bean Acreage**  
The acreage being planted to black-eye beans on the mesa will be much larger than in any previous year. About one-half is now planted, with work being rushed to complete the balance.

**P.-T. A. Elects Officers**  
The Harper-Fairview P.-T. A. met on May 1 and after an interesting program and discussion, elected their officers for the ensuing year as follows:

Mrs. Alice King, president; Mrs. Winifred Smith, vice president; Miss Emma C. Fisher, secretary; Miss Gretchen Lieberman, treasurer.

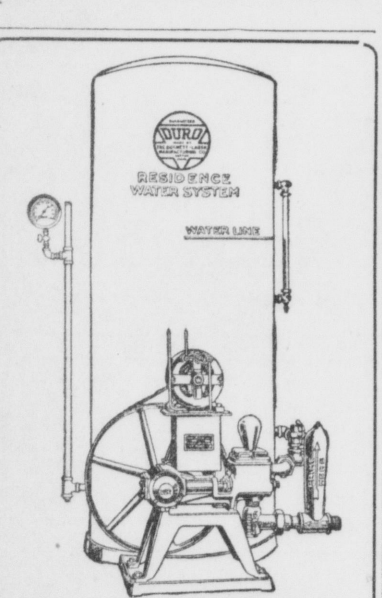
**"Increased Pork" Pledges**  
Messrs. George Hall and J. B. Cleg-horn have been appointed, at the instance of the Farm Bureau officers, as a committee to circulate pledges for the increased production of pork, the signers of which agree to raise two more hogs than they now have.

**Hold Open House**  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young held open house last Friday evening to the members of the Friday Afternoon Club. The affair was in the nature of a social with light refreshments being served, for which there was a small charge, the amount realized being used by the club in their Red Cross work. Music and games featured the entertainment.

**Improve Avocado Orchards**  
Stearns & Henderson, owners of Avocado Orchard Acres, this week completed the placing of 30 tons of lime around their trees. They have

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For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears  
the  
Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*



Let "DURO" Do It

THE all-round water system for household use. Pumps either hard or soft water at a very low cost and furnishes it under pressure to any part of the house just like city water service.

"DURO" Residence Water Systems will supply the home, grounds, water the garden, stock, etc.

Strong, simple, quiet running and entirely automatic in operation. Call and let us show you just how the "DURO" lightens labor and brings city conveniences to country homes.

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Hardware Co.  
412 East Fourth Street  
Hardware, Tinning and Plumbing.  
SANTA ANA, CALIF.

Tonight at the West End



MARY PICKFORD in "MULLINS"  
An ARTCRAFT Picture

also recently installed 6000 feet of cement irrigation pipe.

**Harper News Notes**  
George Huntington and wife have as house guests Mr. and Mrs. Rec Stansbury of Sierra Madre and Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer of Long Beach. They all enjoyed an outing at Laguna Beach last Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Cleghorn returned last Friday from a visit with friends in Arcadia.

H. H. Cotton and Mr. Tobias, promoters of the Fairview Farms, made the tract a visit last Friday. They, with J. R. Smith, Fred Viele and George Hall, held a meeting of the water board. Mr. Viele will be zenero for the 1918 season. Mr. Cotton and Mr. Tobias were dinner guests at the Hall home.

Edgar Pratt went to Huntington Park last Friday, returning Saturday with Mrs. Pratt, who has been in a private sanitarium for some time. The trip home was hard on Mrs. Pratt but she is now convalescing nicely.

An epidemic of measles seems pretty general over the mesa. Besides the school children, Mrs. McKittick and Mrs. Willard Mellett have been victims.

Sergeant Arthur Fargher, from Waco, Texas, visited with his father, R. J. Fargher, last week. Sergeant Fargher was on sick leave, having recently recovered from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Washburn of Long Beach visited Mrs. Washburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Guthrie, last Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Dishman and daughter Dorothy of Pasadena, were house guests at the Cleghorn home last Saturday and Sunday.

Johnnie Boyd of Camp Kearny visited home folks the last of the week.

Roy Luxemberger, another Kearny boy, visited with friends over Sunday. Mrs. Welty and children, Marion and Philip and Mr. and Mrs. Lawlor and daughter Louise of Los Angeles, visited with Mrs. Ramsey last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McGrew of Whittier were looking over business interests in the Fairview tract last Monday.

Mrs. Sweet of Los Angeles was down Tuesday to see about the building of a "week-end" bungalow which she expects to erect on her acre on Wilson street, near the old Thurin station.

Mrs. James Walker received the sad news of the passing of her brother, John Hamilton, in Michigan, last Monday.

Mrs. R. J. Fargher went in to Los Angeles Wednesday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Young, and son Arthur Fargher.

Earl Guthrie, wife and daughter, of Glendale visited the W. Guthrie family last Monday.

George Huntington and wife attended the home-coming services of Vincent M. E. church in Los Angeles last Sunday.

—W. S. S.—  
SCHOOLS COMPLAIN  
BUSINESS COLLEGES  
INVITING DISASTER

(By United Press)

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 8.—Complaint has been made to Edward Hyatt, state superintendent of public instruction, by county school boards, against the practice of business colleges sending out letters to county schools teachers in an effort to induce them to attend summer school to study stenography and bookkeeping. The teachers are told that the pay and social advantages of a stenographer are better than those of a teacher.

B. Ralston, clerk of the Montgomery Creek school board, said in a letter to Hyatt that the letters "are almost seditious and will undermine our rural school system and the result will be disaster."

ALL TIRED OUT

Hundreds More in Santa Ana in the Same Plight

Tired all the time;  
Weary and worn out night and day;  
Back aches; head aches;  
Your kidneys are probably weakened.

You should help them at their work.

Let one who knows tell you how. Mrs. D. S. Reeves, 1046 W. Second St., Santa Ana, says: "A cold settled on my kidneys last spring and brought on an attack of backache. The pains in my back were more severe when I stooped over or lifted anything. I felt tired out all the time and lacked ambition. Severe dizzy spells came over me and everything seemed in a blur. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at the White Cross Drug Co., and they quickly removed the trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Reeves had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

TALBERT  
BEAN PLANTING  
IS UNDER WAY  
AT TALBERT

Stem Rot Invades Few Beet  
Fields In Locality, Causing  
Replowing, Replanting

TALBERT, May 9.—Bean planting in this immediate vicinity commenced this week. S. E. Talbert began planting on his ranch Monday. He will put in 140 acres of limas. Joe Tarada and Hoshima, who are ranching the two Rice ranches, one east and one west of town, have also begun planting this week. Each is putting in 30 acres of limas.

**Stem Rot Cause Damage**  
Stem rot, that has been causing so much loss of beets in other sections, has now struck the Talbert vicinity and some fields have been affected so badly by it that they are being plowed up and in several instances re-planted to beans. The disease strikes the plant when it is about an inch high, cutting it off just under the ground. A number of acres have already been ruined in this manner.

Visit in Santa Ana

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Talbert visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Obarr at their home in Santa Ana last Sunday evening. They found Obarr quite ill, having been confined to his bed for a week and only slightly improved. Wilfred, the oldest boy, was just recovering from the measles and they were expecting the other children to take them at any time. As a precaution against the baby, Halie May, taking them, Mrs. Leonard Obarr of Huntington Beach, took her home with her a few days ago and will keep her until the danger is passed.

**Attend Downey Barbecue**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gisler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gisler of Talbert, Julius Gisler of Camp Kearny, Miss Josephine Gisler of Pasadena and Miss Effie Toogood were among the guests at a barbecue given last Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krockenberg at their home at Downey. The most delightful of days was spent, the dinner was delicious and Mr. and Mrs. Krockenberg being the most hospitable of hosts, made the day a perfect one. Thirty relatives and friends were gathered together for the occasion.

**Talbert Personals**

Mrs. W. A. Jones went to Bakersfield last week with her son, Joe Jones and family, of Los Angeles, for a visit at the home of another son, Max Jones, and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones returned on Tuesday of this week and Mrs. Jones will remain for a more extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamb and children spent Sunday at Orange County Park with a party of relatives.

Ed Helm and S. E. Talbert made the trip to Ventura Thursday, returning on Friday after looking over the general crop prospects of that county, which they found to be very prosperous. Every foot of land possible has been conserved this year, every fence row and corner being under cultivation. The bean crops are being planted rapidly and it is an ordinary occurrence to see several planters in one field at the same time. The trip was one of business for Mr. Helm, who went up to ship seed beans belonging to him and Harry Folton down to their ranches here. The trip was made in the Helm machine.

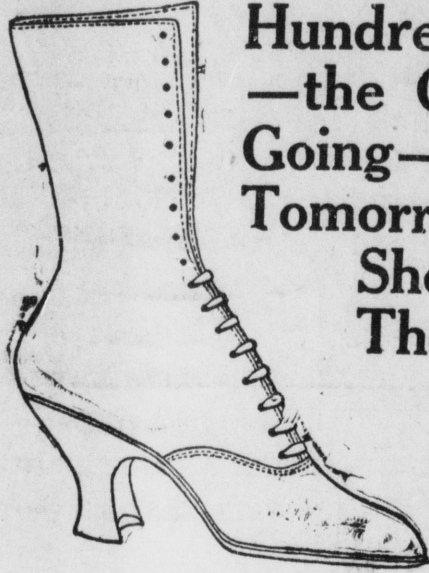
Duergero, foreman of a large cattle ranch at El Toro, was in Talbert Monday engaging beet tops for the coming season for cattle feed. As tops will be scarcer than usual this year the cattlemen are engaging them as rapidly as possible.

—W. S. S.—  
STANFORD WOMEN TO  
HELP CROP HARVEST

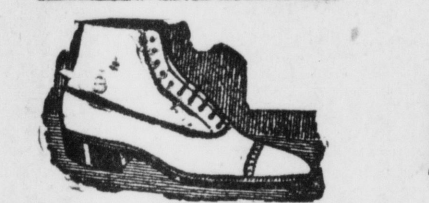
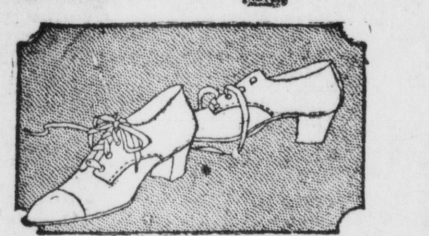
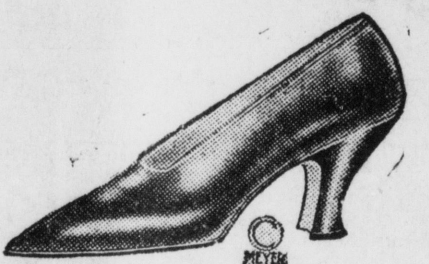
SACRAMENTO, May 8.—Stanford women students are organizing units to meet the labor shortage in the orchards of the Santa Clara valley during July and August, according to information received by Edward Hyatt, state superintendent of public instruction, from Ray Lyman Wilbur, president of the college.

The work offered the college women is cutting and drying fruit. Each girl before being accepted for the unit, must pass a physical examination at the university, which will determine her fitness for the work of the kind proposed.

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Captain Arthur J. Francis, delegated by the American Red Cross to go to the battle front for a period of three months, has just returned to America and will speak at the First Methodist church in this city tomorrow evening, May 10, at 8 o'clock. He is sent here by the Pacific Division, American Red Cross, and Santa Ana is making this the occasion for a big Red Cross mass meeting.

Captain Francis left France two days after the present German offensive started, and arrived in America only two weeks ago. He was sent to the Pacific Division directly from Washington. His lecture will be of particular interest, as he spent a good part of his time in one of the sectors occupied by the American troops.

Captain Francis saw the American boys in action in many of their raiding expeditions and was present when Capt. Archie Roosevelt was brought in with a badly shattered arm and a knee which contained several pieces of shrapnel. He was also present when young Roosevelt was decorated. The captain has flown over the enemy lines

at an altitude of eleven thousand feet and claims the doubtful privilege of having looped the loop at that same altitude.

In addition to having spent considerable time with the American boys, Captain Francis thoroughly investigated the activities of the American Red Cross in France, Belgium and England and is thoroughly familiar with the wonderful work that this splendid organization is carrying on.

The fact that Captain Francis was chosen to visit the battle front to bring back the Red Cross message, makes it quite evident that he is a man capable of arousing proper interest and enthusiasm in any sort of gathering that might be arranged for him.

He is not the type of speaker who dwells particularly upon atrocities, although he did see many of them during his three months' sojourn in France, Belgium and England.

His message is one of tremendous importance to every American citizen and everyone in the community should take advantage of the occasion to hear him. There will be no charge for admission.

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DEFENSE COUNCILS TO  
MEET AT SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, May 8.—The War Council of National, State and County Defense Council officials to be held in Sacramento May 14 and 15, will be the most educational and interesting held in California since America entered the war, says W. V. Cowan, secretary of the State Defense Council.

Speakers of international reputation and war workers of every kind and character will be on the program. Chief among the speakers will be Father Paul Perigord of the French army. He enlisted as a private during the early days of the war and was wounded three times.

—W. S. S.—  
Hats are selling at \$3.45 and \$4.95 at the Mode Millinery, who are conducting their annual spring millinery sale just now. Beautiful styles at very low prices. Come early.

AVIATION SCHOOL  
HONORS WAR HERO

SACRAMENTO, May 8.—Mather Field is the name the government has given to the new Sacramento aviation school. As is the custom of the War Department to name a new field after a well-known aviator, the Sacramento school honors the memory of Lieutenant Mather, who was killed in the service.

Captain A. D. Penney is adjutant of Mather field and will be in charge of operations until the arrival of the commanding officer. Captain Penney is a Spanish war veteran and his home is in San Diego.

—W. S. S.—  
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The Pessimist—"Yes; it gives him an opportunity to turn around and kick you."—Philadelphia Record.

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